

SPICER'S MOVING OUT OF POTTSTOWN



Increasing Costs Bring Move That Will Affect Thousands

By EDWARD B. ROSENBERG
Mercury Staff Writer

Pottstown's Spicer Manufacturing company plant is shutting down. It will be closed permanently this fall. All operations will be transferred to other plants of the organization. No Pottstown workers will be moved.

Steadily-increasing costs have made continued operation in Pottstown "impossible," corporation executives said in explaining the decision to close the sprawling plant.

Of the 1950 employees of the Spicer Manufacturing division of the Dana corporation, it was announced yesterday by local and corporation executives, between 50 and 75 already have been laid off.

When the plant is shut down, an estimated 8000 persons, including workers and their families throughout the Pottstown area, will be affected.

The others will be laid off as machinery is moved out of the Pottstown plant, until the industry is shut down completely.

No plans have been made to employ any of the present personnel, either in the plant, or on the supervisory level, at any other Spicer plants, said R. B. Haynes, vice president in charge of production, who came here yesterday from the home office in Toledo, Ohio.

Haynes made the announcement of the closing of the plant exclusively to The Mercury.

He was spokesman for top personnel who conferred with Mercury newsmen on the Spicer shutdown.

Spicer has other plants at Toledo, Ohio and at Auburn, Ind., Ft. Wayne and Marion, Ind.

Bobby Walters Should Be Hospitalized, Philadelphia Cancer Specialist Advises

"I can't really say what an orthopedic specialist for his chances Bobby has of pulling through—but whatever they are now, they would certainly be improved if he were hospitalized for treatments."

This statement came from Dr. Roscoe W. Teahan, Philadelphia cancer specialist who has been treating 4-year-old Bobby Walters against the dreaded disease.

Bobby, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Walters Sr., is the little boy who has been stricken both with malignant cancer and partial paralysis of the back and right leg due to polio.

Dr. Teahan explained why it was so important that Bobby be put in a hospital.

"Due to his polio condition the cancer treatments have been handicapped because it is difficult for his parents to travel with him to last night through their representative Philadelphia. In a hospital he could get the proper attention of \$100 towards Bobby's treatments."

But with The Mercury making arrangements to send Bobby to a hospital this week, much more money will be needed to meet the expense of the specialized care and the anticipated length of his stay in the hospital.

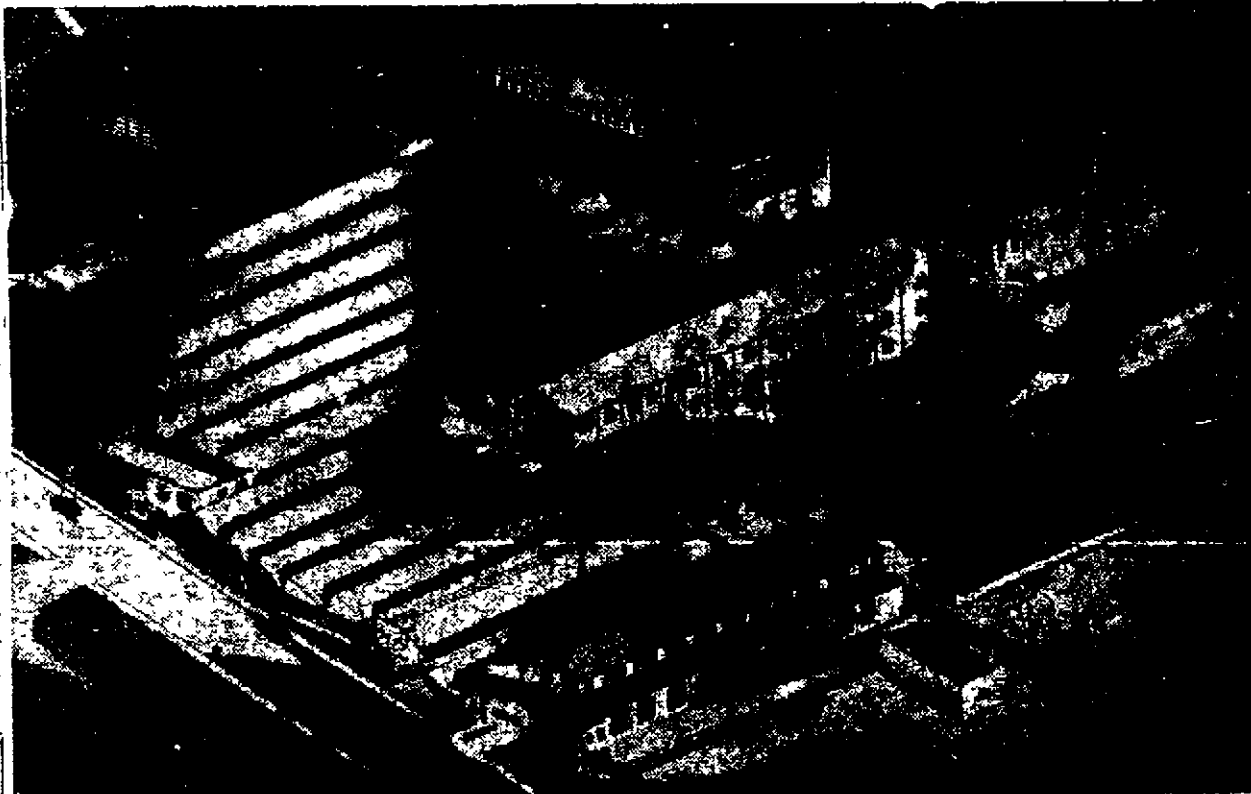
Unable to express his gratitude in words, Bobby's father was choked up with emotion as he referred to the "wonderful people in this world who are going out of their way to help my son."

"I don't know how I'll ever be able to repay them," he said. "I don't know if it's ever possible to repay such kindness."

When asked how his son was reacting to all the publicity he was getting in The Mercury, Walter said, "I guess he's like all other people—he smiles when he sees his picture in the paper."

A combat infantryman during World War II, Walters was decorated with the Purple Heart medal after receiving wounds while fighting in Austria only three days before the war ended.

Now an unskilled worker at U. S. Gauge company in Sellersville, Walters said, "If I do any heavy lifting, my side begins to bother me."



Corporation executives (top photo) hear R. B. Haynes, Dana corporation vice president in charge of production, read his announcement of the closing of the Pottstown Spicer Manufacturing division plant. With Haynes are (left to right), Morris R. Gavin, manager of the Pottstown plant; James Spargos, local director of industrial relations, and L. J. Haney, Dana director of industrial relations, from the Toledo, Ohio, home office. The lower photo shows an overall view of the sprawling South Keim street plant.

The bulk of the Pottstown plant's operations will be transferred to plants in Indiana, Haynes said.

He added that no plans have been made to dispose of the Spicer buildings on South Keim street, where drive shafts and universal shafts have been manufactured since 1919.

"Our only plan right now is to get these operations underway in our other plants, so we can maintain our position in the industry," he said.

"Most of the production here is in the passenger car field and the products are bought on very close margins," Haynes added, explaining the Spicer faces a tough competitive situation in the automotive industry.

Announcement of the abandoning of the Pottstown plant came at 11 o'clock yesterday morning after a conference among L. J. Haney, director of industrial relations, of the Toledo corporation headquarters; Morris R. Gavin, manager of the Pottstown plant; James Spargos, director of industrial relations here, and Haynes.

Although no definite closing date has been set, Haynes explained, the transfer of operations, already started, will be speeded up.

"The transfer will be accelerated rapidly over the next three or four weeks," he declared. "It is difficult to predict the exact timing because of the situation in the machine tool industry, but it will be in the very near future."

He emphasized the organization has "no plans" to move any of the personnel to other plants in the industry.

Haynes emphasized "Two and a half years ago Mr. Haney and myself made a survey of Pottstown on productive efficiency. We displayed these results to my group."

Overall results of the survey were released by Haynes. They were:

- Of the total working time, 57.4 percent was spent actually producing pieces; 12.3 percent of the time the machines were running idle; no pieces were produced, and 30.3 percent of

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Not Easily Comforted



Mrs. Robert Walters Sr., Green Lane RD 1, is seen trying to comfort her son Bobby, the four-year-old cancer and polio victim, as she prepared to dress him for his visit to a Philadelphia cancer specialist yesterday. The pained look on his face tells the story of the suffering he is enduring because of the cancer and the paralysis of the back and right leg as a result of polio.

Bobby's Fund Reaches \$188.50

POTTSTOWN area opened its generous heart yesterday to give \$188.50 to the Bobby Walters fund to pay for hospital and doctor expenses of the polio-cancer boy.

Mercury readers may send pennies, dimes and dollars, checks and money orders. All will be acknowledged.

Yesterday's contributors, in order of receipt, follow:

Local 18, Glass Bottle Blowers Ass'n of U. S. and Canada, Diamond Glass company, Royersford \$100.00

Nellie Yates, Pottstown 2.00

Herbert Collins, Spring City 10.00

Mr. and Mrs. John Ewanick 25.00

Rubbercrafters Club 10.00

George, Pottstown RD 2 5.00

Mrs. Paul March, Pottstown 1.00

Mrs. Iva M. Rhoads 25.00

Boyetown 3.00

Hope, from Reader 1.00

Bruce Johnson, Gilbertsville 6.50

Previously reported

Total \$188.50

Boy Is Hit by Car While Riding Bicycle

A 15-year-old boy was injured and admitted to Phoenixville hospital last night after he was struck by an automobile while riding a bicycle.

The youth, James Mossie, Phoenixville RD 2, suffered the mishap on Route 29, three miles north of Phoenixville.

He was pulling out on the (Continued on Last Page)

THE WEATHER

For Eastern Pennsylvania: Fair and a little warmer in the afternoon today and tomorrow.

70 Mercury 54 Antics

TEMPERATURE EXTREMES	
Local temperatures yesterday and early this morning were	
4 a. m.	68
5 a. m.	67
6 a. m.	66
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9 a. m.	63
10 a. m.	62
11 a. m.	61
12 m.	60
1 p. m.	59
2 p. m.	58
3 p. m.	57
4 p. m.	56
5 p. m.	55
6 p. m.	54

Safety Talks Begin in Schools

Pupils at Washington and St. Clair schools yesterday were instructed on safety methods by the three directors of the safety program in Pottstown.

Sgt. Harold E. Haun, Jeffersonville State Police Officer Martin R. Kiggins and Jacob A. Wunderlich field representative of the Pottstown Automobile club in this area gave short talks to the children of both schools.

The children also were shown movies illustrating the talks.

After the inside instructions were over, the three safety directors took first grade and kindergarten pupils to intersections near the schools and showed them how to obey the safety patrol for their own protection.

They instructed the pupils to cross only at corners and to obey the safeties because they were the policemen's helpers.

TODAY, THE directors of the safety program will instruct the pupils of Jefferson school in the morning and afternoon.

Tomorrow the pupils of Rupert school will hear the three men in the morning and St. Peter's parochial school will be addressed by the group in the afternoon.

Thursday the Lincoln school and St. Aloysius parochial school will receive their instructions from the trio.

The safety program's week of instructions will be concluded Friday when the Franklin school has its turn to listen to the advice of the safety directors.

Yesterday afternoon, after the first grade and kindergarten children were given their instructions outside the school on the method to be used in crossing streets, one of the mothers waiting near the school for her child began to jaywalk, Sgt. Haun said.

HE STOPPED the woman and an altercation with Cassidy several (Continued on Last Page)

THERE'S MORE INSIDE!

Pottstown Council Meets . . .
Pottstown School Board Hears Citizens . . .
Mrs. Tretheway Again Subject of School Board . . .

ALL these stories, and many more to complete the coverage of Pottstown news, on PAGE THREE today.

Turn there now.

Three Readers Are Richer By \$10 for Hot News tips

Three alert Mercury readers are splitting \$10 in news-tip prize money this week because they were first to pick up their telephones and dial 6000 (The Mercury's new phone number) with a tip on a spot news story.

Mrs. Mahel Good, 640 East Fourth street, Boyertown, is \$5 richer today because she called

The Mercury at 7:20 p. m. the past Friday to tell them about the \$500-in Pottstown on productive efficiency award fire that destroyed a barn at the John S. Swinehart's farm, near to my group.

The quick action of Mrs. Good permitted a staff photographer to get on-the-spot pictures and a story.

Harry Verge, Empire Hook and Ladder company, took the second prize of \$3 for his call at 6:50 a. m. on the past Tuesday on an auto which turned over in front of 543 Farmington avenue.

The third prize \$2 went to Walter Mourar, Glen Moore RD 1 for his tip at 11:15 a. m. the night of Sept. 1 about a two-car collision on route 100 near Plover Springs in which four persons were injured.

THESE THREE quick-witted Mercury readers are splitting the weekly award because they remembered to call The Mercury (Pottstown, 6000) so that other readers can enjoy a full and accurate picture of news events as they happen. They remembered to call first And, even more important, they remembered to call first.

Probe of Death Will Continue

Investigation into the death of James L. Cassidy, 65-year-old Barto stationmaster, is continuing and is expected to take at least several more days to complete.

This was reported yesterday by Berks County District Attorney Henry M. Koch. He said the main job is further questioning of witnesses to incidents preceding his death.

Cassidy died in Pottstown hospital the past Aug. 31, having been taken there by ambulance from Barto hotel, where he lived. He was to have applied for retirement from the Reading company the next day.

The district attorney's office has reported that Cassidy suffered several severe falls at the hotel.

READING STATE police assisting the district attorney's office bid of \$66,304 for construction of reported that Stanley Gruca, a flood protection works on the hotel proprietor, admitted having an altercation with Cassidy several (Continued on Last Page)

ON THE MAIN DRAG

- MARGIE STOFKO —discussing fashions
- SARAH JAYNE CAPP —making plans for the future
- MARY ANN MILLS —giving a housewarming gift
- GEORGE GOVATOS —smilingly greeting customers
- RUSS HUMMEL —kidding a fellow-policeman
- JOYCE GILES —honking her horn at friends
- WALTER WOLF —cutting some weeds in good time
- LOU RIEHL —having fun on his night off
- CHARLOTTE ANDERSON —telling of teaching experiences
- JOHN YONKOVITCH SR. —talking about his son

Pastor Carmichael To Conduct Prayer Services in Reading

A special day of prayer services will be conducted tomorrow in St. Paul's Evangelical Congregational church, Reading. The morning service will be at 10:15 a. m., and the afternoon session at 2 p. m.

The Rev. H. J. Carmichael, pastor of Trinity Evangelical Congregational church, South Washington street, Boyertown, has invited all members and friends of the church to attend. The services are sponsored by the Eastern conference of the Evangelical Congregational church.

Thursday night, the Union quarterly conference of Evangelical Congregational churches of this area will meet at Trinity church, Pottstown, at 7:45 p. m. The Rev. H. H. Scanlin, D. D., Allentown, presiding elder of the district, will be in charge of the service.

E. F. GRUBE, Bethlehem, will be guest speaker. Members of the following churches will attend: Pottstown, Boyertown, East Greenville, Hosenack, Pine Swamp, California, Mt. Shiloh, Zieglerville, Trappe and Poyersford.

Boyerstown Council Votes to Drop Controls

Rent controls in Boyertown will be allowed to lapse Sept. 30 when Federal statutes are no longer in force.

This was the decision reached last night by the Boyertown borough council when it met at town hall, with Robert Stauffer, president, presiding.

Council agreed unanimously that it was not necessary to extend controls since no housing problem of any proportions existed in the area.

Council had requested that those objecting to suspension of controls should attend the meeting and voice their protest, but no complainants appeared. In view of this, the motion in favor of dropping restrictions was passed unanimously.

In another important action, council decided to place all borough employees, except those in the police department, under provisions of the State Social Security act. A total of eight persons will be affected. Council explained that police are excepted because they already receive benefit provisions under their own pension program.

COUNCIL ALSO voted to install an overflow sewer pipe along the property at 538 Rhoads avenue to help drain off water that has on the extra position.

Honeymooning in Poconos



Mr. and Mrs. Donald Earl Frain, (above), were united in marriage Saturday in Zion's Reformed church. Mrs. Frain is the former Miss Annabel S. Dunkelberger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Adam Dunkelberger, Boyertown RD 2. Mr. Frain is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Frain, 117 North Washington street.

Emmanuel's Brownies To Learn Virginia Reel

Plans were made to learn the "Virginia Reel" during the meeting of Brownie troop of Emmanuel Lutheran church.

The meeting opened with the flag ceremony and the singing of patriotic songs. Color guards were Penny Grow and Cheryl Keim; and color bearers were Jayne Overholtzer and Barbara Meeker.

Mrs. Walter Grow, one of the Brownie leaders, was welcomed back after recovering from an operation. Co-leader was Mrs. Douglas Scheffey.

The Brownies attending were: Carol Bast, Mary Dalas, Diane Gabel, Janet Grow, Penny Grow, Charlene Himes, Nancy Hutt, Rosemary Hausman, Judith Kochel, Cheryl Keim, Nancy Klink, Sharon Kulp, Linda Lee Miller, Jayne Overholtzer, Sharon Meyer, Barbara Meeker, Patty Renoll and Kathleen Richards.

Also, Patricia Saylor, Judith

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

Today
Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. Hildenbrand, 387 North Evans street, 1 year.

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BROWNIES RECONVENE

Following the Summer lay-off, members of Brownie Troop 28, Boyertown, will again conduct weekly meetings beginning tomorrow afternoon at 3:30 p. m.

The girls will meet in St. John's Evangelical Lutheran church.

MOTHER'S CLASS MEETS

Mrs. Mervin Gaugler, president of the Church of Good Shepherd, Evangelical and Reformed Mother's class, announced yesterday that the monthly meeting of the group will be tonight at 7:30 p. m. in the church basement.

BARRELS OF OIL TOTALED

WASHINGTON, Sept. 8 (AP)—The Bureau of Mines reported today that stocks of domestic and foreign crude petroleum totaled 266,585,000 barrels on Aug. 30, a net decrease of 2,606,000 barrels for the week. Domestic crude decreased 1,325,000. Foreign crude decreased 1,280,000.

Boyerstown Classified

- Deaths
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- GENESIS — In Boyertown on Saturday, Sept. 6, 1952, LeRoy S. Gehris of 139 S. Washington St., age 52 years. Relatives and friends are invited to the services from the Schwenk Funeral Home, 124 W. Philadelphia Ave., Boyertown, on Tuesday at 2 p. m. Interment in Union cemetery. Friends may call Tuesday evening 7-9. (Schwenk)
- FABER — In Pottstown, on Friday, Sept. 5, 1952, Charles B. Faber, 124 W. Philadelphia Ave., age 60 years. Relatives and friends are invited to the services from the Schwenk Funeral Home, 124 W. Philadelphia Ave., Boyertown, on Tuesday at 2 p. m. Interment in Union cemetery. Friends may call Tuesday evening 7-9. (Schwenk)
- ESBACH — In Boyertown, on Monday, Sept. 8, 1952, Annie E. Eshbach, wife of Frank M. Eshbach, age 58 years. Relatives and friends are invited to the services from the Schwenk Funeral Home, 124 W. Philadelphia Ave., Boyertown, on Friday at 1:30 p. m. Further services in Hill church on Thursday at 2 p. m. Interment in Union cemetery. Friends may call on Thursday evening 7-9. (Schwenk)
- GREBE — In Englewood, on Sunday, Sept. 7, 1952, Ida (Mathias) Grebe, wife of Charles H. Grebe, age 60 years. Relatives and friends are invited to the services from the Schwenk Funeral Home, 124 W. Philadelphia Ave., Boyertown, on Thursday at 2 p. m. Interment in Union cemetery. Friends may call on Wednesday evening 7-9. (Schwenk)
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PTA Meets First Time This Term, to See Dolls

The Colebrookdale Parent-Teacher association will meet for the first time this year tonight at 7:30 o'clock at the Colebrookdale school.

Theme of the program will be "Education of Family Investment." Dolls of all nations will be presented and discussed by Miss Helen Ahrens and Mrs. R. Fries, members of the Reading Fellowship house.

Mrs. Elda Rahn, president of the organization, urged all members and children accompanied by their parents, to attend.

MEETINGS

Boyerstown auxiliary of Pottstown hospital at 7:30 p. m., at Community center.

Mother's class of Church of Good Shepherd, Evangelical and Reformed, at 7:30 p. m., in church basement.

Ladies' auxiliary of Charles B. Yerger Post 471, American Legion, at 8 p. m., at new Legion home.

Boyerstown Woman's club at 2 p. m., at home of Mrs. Isaac Y. Stauffer, 209 North Monroe street.

Boyerstown Lodge 708, IOOF at 8 p. m., in Odd Fellows lodge hall.

Ladies' auxiliary of Boyertown Post 3487, VFW at 8 p. m., at VFW home, South Chestnut street.

Goodwill Fire company, Bally, at 8 p. m., at Bally Fire house.

Colebrookdale PTA at 7:30 p. m., at Colebrookdale school.

Man Indicted on Charge Of Killing Baseball Fan

WILLIAMSPORT, Sept. 8 (AP)—The Lycoming county grand jury today indicted Irwin P. Goff, 32, Cuyahoga, O., on charges of murder and armed robbery in the fatal shooting of a teen-age baseball fan.

Goff was scheduled to be tried during the September term of criminal court which opened today. However, court officials said they believed the withdrawal of his attorney, George M. Hess Jr., might result in postponement of the case.

Hess announced over the weekend he would not defend Goff because he had been informed the Ohioan was unable to pay an attorney's fee. Pennsylvania law allows the court to appoint a lawyer when the defendant has no funds to pay for one.

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Miss Dunkelberger Weds Frain in Zion's Church

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pretty double ring wedding ceremony performed Sunday by the Rev. Howard A. Kosman.

Miss Annabel S. Dunkelberger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Adam Dunkelberger, RD 2, Boyertown, became the bride of Mr. Donald Earl Frain, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Frain, 117 North Washington street, Pottstown, before an altar surrounded by white and multi-colored gladioli.

Approximately 150 guests heard organ music by Mrs. J. C. Rutter and vocal selections by Mrs. Erma Schmoeyer.

THE BRIDE, given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of white slipper satin and filmy nylon tulle, emphasizing a snug fitting bodice and square neckline encrusted with rhinestones. Other features were a wasp waistline, voluminous skirt ending in a long train and long sleeves tapering into points at the wrists. The veil extending from a pearlized coronet, flowed to chapel length. Miss Dunkelberger carried a Bible topped with a white orchid.

Miss Anne Quigley, the maid of honor, chose a cotton blue gown featuring a strapless bodice, covered by a portrait stole, and a voluminous skirt. Her hat was a velvet cloche entwined with veil. The bouquet she carried consisted of yellow and white pompons.

Bridesmaids were: Mrs. Anne Lockhoff, sister of the groom, and Fern Dunkelberger, sister of the bride.

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Erie Coach Company Agrees to Arbitration

ERIE, Sept. 8 (AP)—The Erie Coach company, whose 255 drivers and mechanics have been on strike 28 days, agreed today to arbitrate workers' demand for a 20-cent hourly pay raise.

The union — AFL Amalgamated Association of Street and Electric Railway and Motor Coach Employees — called for arbitration the past week after negotiations broke down.

The company's statement on arbitration came from W. W. Brown, vice president and treasurer.

At the same time, Attorney John English announced stockholders are willing to sell the Erie Coach company for \$1,300,000.

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MIRACLE WHIP	KRAFT SALAD DRESSING	quart jar	51¢
PRUNE JUICE	SUNSWET BRAND CALIFORNIA	quart bot	29¢
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Dried Beef Loaf Smoked 1/2 lb 41c

Liverwurst Braunschweiger 1/2 lb 18c

Sliced Beef Bologna 1/2 lb 17c

GENUINE LAMB'S LIVER

lb 49¢

Agar's Sliced Bacon Grade A 1/2 lb 53c

Smoked Ham Hocks Lancaster Brand 1/2 lb 29c

Tasty Waldorf Salad 1/2 lb 23c

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Skinless Cod Fillets Year Choice 1 lb pkg 41c

Haddock Fillets

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Sea Food Values

Standard Oysters 1/2 qt jar 53c

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Boston Mackerel Fancy 1 lb 19c

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Elks Win CIL Playoff Crown

COMPLETE TITLE SWEEP AS RICKETTS HALTS UAW

Elks manager Bill Barber moved his men around like a chess player last night, and finally check-mated UAW right out of the City-Industrial league playoffs. The quick change artisty of Dick Ricketts preserved a 3-2 victory for the Elks and completed their grand slam of CIL titles.

The tallest of the Ricketts was called upon to play fireman, and after extinguishing one blaze was sent to the scene of a second smoldering. Most relief pitchers these days are cuties who have the baters breaking their backs after swinging at the starting hurlers fast ones. But in Dick's case it was relieving a fastball pitcher with a smokeball pitcher.

Wils Kulp with his wildness made the game an interesting contest as the Elks broke from the gate with a rush and led all the way. In what was probably the final baseball game in Pottstown this season, the Elks made it five straight playoff games without a loss.

During the regular season they compiled a league record of 13 victories and one loss.

A home run by Dave Ricketts with Barber on base gave the Elks the lead in the first inning. Three subsequent doubles were the only other hits off UAW hurler Jim Hallman, two of them coming in the second inning when the Elks scored another pair of runs.

Kulp showed a tendency to be wide right off the bat. He walked Bib Fillman to open the game. However, he pulled through the first and second innings with no further trouble but opened the third by issuing a free pass to Lou Peroni. He struck out Fillman but Jackie Fout and Ed Hallman followed with singles. Hallman's being the last hit UAW made in its total of three.

The Hallman hit, a drive to left, scored Peroni from second. Errors by Joe Ruyak, Dick Kroh

Pairings Set For Meigs Golf Tourney

Pairings for the Dwight R. Meigs golf tournament at Brookside Country club were announced last night with Henry Van Dyke and Ed Hunsicker, low qualifiers, scheduled to meet George Kindsvatter and Des Coffee in the opening round.

All matches will be played at full handicap, and the first round must be completed by Saturday. Other completion dates for succeeding rounds are: second, Sept. 17; third, Sept. 20; semifinals, Sept. 21; finals, Sept. 27 or 28.

The first round pairings follow, with each player's handicap listed after his name.

Van Dyke, 6, and Hunsicker, 26, vs. G. Kindsvatter, 10, and Des Coffee, 22. Bessing, 0, and Hartenstein, 15, vs. Strasser, 9, and Sitten, 30.

Beaver, 8, and Davidheiser, 26, vs. Leslie, 10, and Rorer, 13.

Jack Fegert, 2, and L. Levin, 20, vs. Peterson, 9, and J. R. Sotter, 24.

Matlock, 9, and W. O'Dell, 15, vs. Kemp, 14, and Thompson, 3.

Valovich, 2, and J. O'Dell, 15, vs. Jeffries, 6, and Sitter, 17.

Carroll, 6, and Yocum, 12, vs. Gruber, 7, and Conner, 20.

Polter, 2, and Orr, 17, (bye).

J. C. Fegert, 4, and Jackson, 20, vs. Revere, 11, and Boden, 23.

Rahn, 11, and Roland, 21, vs. Nickols, 10, and Caroline, 22.

Longaker, 11, and Gorman, 14, vs. Clayton, 8, and Williams, 20.

Pepper, 2, and R. Sotter, 20, (bye).

Polter, 2, and J. R. Sotter, 18, vs. Jones, 8, and G. O'Dell, 20.

L. Unneberg, 6, and W. Levin, 17, vs. W. Kindsvatter, 10, and Ed. Fegert, 2.

Detrich, 8, and Hunsicker, 13, vs. Gavin, 11, and Hauri, 27.

M. Unneberg, 10, and Kemp, 14, (bye).

Ferris Fain Slips in Bid To Regain Title

NEW YORK, Sept. 8 (AP)—Ferris Fain, defending American League batting champion, is showing signs of faltering in his bid to retain the title, but his closest pursuers also are slumping in the stretch.

Fain, Philadelphia first sacker, dropped six points to 332 last week, as he garnered eight hits in 32 at-bats around to third. When Kulp walked bat. But New York's Gene Wood, both Kroh and Jim Hallman, Barling, in second place, dropped two, her decided to make a change.

Dick Ricketts discarded his first baseman's mitt and exchanged places with Kulp.

Manager Chick Hawk sent himself in to bat for Kovach but unlike in the past Friday night when he belted a pinch-hit double off Dick, this time he swung at a third strike and returned to the bench to watch his team's chances fade.

Stan Woych followed with an easy tapper to Ricketts, who threw to his brother at home, forcing Ed Hallman for the second out. Ruyak was the last out, swinging and missing a sharp breaking third strike.

After taking an uneventful turn at bat in the bottom of the sixth, the Elks again took the field with Kulp back on the mound and Dick holding down first.

Peroni was an easy first out, Dick grabbing his roller to make the play unassisted. Kulp then went on his second wild spree walking Bob Stauffer, who had replaced Fillman, Fout, Ed Hallman and Kroh in succession. Kroh's walk forced in Stauffer with UAW's second run.

Robby, Campy Sends Checks

NEW YORK, Sept. 8 (AP)—Secretary Lee Scott of the Brooklyn Dodgers tonight handed President Warren C. Giles of the National League two checks, one for \$100 from Catcher Roy Campanella and another for \$75 from second baseman Jackie Robinson.

The checks represented payment of fines for the two players incurred in their rubebas with the

NEW EAGLES COACH

Jim Trimble Succeeds Millner

HERSHEY, Sept. 8 (AP)—Wayne Shakespear's desperation pass in certain it will give a good account of itself this season.

Trimble came to the Eagles right from the campus of the University of Wichita where he was head coach and athletic director. The 34-year-old former Indiana university tackle is married and has three children. They reside in Plymouth Meeting near Philadelphia.

AFTER PLAYING in Indiana in 1939, 1940, and 1941 and then spending four years in the Navy, as an officer, he returned to Indiana to assist McMillin in Spring practice in 1945 and 1946, landing at Wichita in 1946 as line coach under Ralph Graham. He succeeded Graham as head coach and athletic director in 1948, and held both positions until resigning to join the Eagles.

Although he has been in the professional league only one year, Big Jim, or "Tiny" as he is familiarly known, has impressed veterans with his coaching ability and sound knowledge of the game.

Millner, who gained football fame as the end who caught Bill

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Sleeper Uncovered Jack Bechtel Shines

The big question being asked by Pottstown High school football fans is still, "Who is going to replace Stan Chaplin?"

That is a very big order and since practices started the past month, Coach Heeb Meyers has had out the "Wanted—a hard running back" sign. Some of the young runners have displayed speed and the ability to dodge tacklers, but the run-through-em type has been sadly lacking.

But yesterday several driving runs by Jack Bechtel had coaches Meyers, Morrie Grigg and Bill McCabe hoping that they had uncovered a sleeper.

Until this season Bechtel had been primarily a defensive end, and a darn good one. But the dearth of running backs made it necessary for Meyers to experiment with inexperienced men in the backfield.

The way Jack was running from the right half spot in yesterday's scrimmage made this experiment of Meyers' look like the answer to the fans' constant question. He's the type runner that can keep his feet when hit and will twist and push for an extra yard.

The bright showing of Bechtel comes at a most opportune time. Bill Kerr, the past season's regular right half, who had been sharing the post with Bechtel, returned from the Ridley township scrimmage with a badly bruised shoulder. The small redhead will be out at least a week.

Kerr was doubly effective in the right half slot because of his left handed passes which Meyers had been counting upon. It is his left shoulder that is injured.

Victory Mon Wins Futurity

READING, Sept. 8 (AP)—C. T. Black's Victory Mon from Berryville, Va., won the \$15,549 Reading Futurity in straight heats as the grand circuit opened a five-day stand at the Reading Fair today.

The prize was the richest in Pennsylvania harness racing history, and with 15 starters, the race was contested on the elimination plan. Victory Mon, with Earl Avery up, made a break at the start of his elimination, but re-covered and came on to win in 2:12 1/5.

After Miss Parisway had won the second elimination, the 10 qualifiers returned for the third heat, and Victory Mon, a son of the 1947 Hambletonian winner, Hoot Mon, scored by a length over Algerine with Miss Parisway third.

Wentzel Pigeon Wins Flight From Baltimore

A pigeon owned by Norman Wentzel, of Schencksville RD 2, won a 100 mile race yesterday, competing for the Lenape Pigeon club against the Lehigh Mountain Combine.

The Wentzel pigeon was released in Baltimore, Md., at 8 o'clock yesterday morning and arrived home at 10:29 o'clock. His average speed was 1063.777 yards a minute.

Ten other lofts in the Pottstown area took part in the race including the following owners: George Reinert, Herbert Schantz, Henry Diener, Howard Weller, Clarence Meyer, Willis Meyer, Elam Hause, Ralph Wolfgang, and Clyde Greisner.

The two clubs will compete in

Cage Coach No Duffer

Coach Paul Birch of the Fort Wayne Pistons plays golf in the low 80's.

YANKEE GREAT



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Moose Gains Finals In Softball Playoffs

Al Roen hurled a three-hitter and shut out the Redbirds for the last six innings last night as the Moose advanced in the final playoffs by downing the 'Birds, 3-1 at Franklin field annex.

The victory, the second of the best-of-three series for the regular season champs, put them closer to a sweep of the seasonal and playoff crowns.

The losing pitcher, George Levensgood, gave up only five hits himself.

But whereas his mates couldn't get to Roen for more than one hit after counting once in the first frame, the Moose blasted out five, and took advantage of some poor fielding to tie it and then churn into the lead.

The victors scored single runs in the second, third and sixth to salt away the finals berth.

They will oppose the winner of the PAR-Robinson set, in which the Refinishers hold a 1-0 lead. The second tilt of that series goes on this evening.

The 'Birds opened scoring with an error and singles by Mike Jackley and Red Braunsberg.

A SINGLE by Dan Glutz, a walk and an error brought in the winners' initial tally. Singles by Ralph Gonder and Gene Shaner accounted for the second and the third came in on a single, a fielder's choice, two passes and a misplay.

Roen fanned seven in posting his 10th victory of the year—and second against the Crimson nine.

Levensgood pitched all four of the 'Birds' playoff tests—winning one.

Spunky Lion Mascot

Spunky, a boxer pup, has been adopted as the mascot of the Detroit Lions football team.

another race next weekend with Washington, D. C. as the starting point. The birds will be banded Saturday afternoon.

Rocky Relaxes

GROSSINGER, N. Y., Sept. 8 (AP)—Rocky Marciano, who meets champion Jersey Joe Walcott for the world heavyweight title, did not do the long afternoon as the boxing today. He will resume workouts tomorrow when Jack Gama that dimmed Giant hopes of Dempsey visits his training camp.

He took over the Eagles last season after the club's first two league games. In the final 10 games of the season the Eagles won two and dropped eight. This year, with almost a complete new team, the Eagles have won one, lost two and tied one during the exhibition season.

Millner is the second NFL coach to quit in the past month. Dick Todd gave up his Washington Redskins job in favor of Earl (Curly) Lambeau recently.

Trojan Seniors Win Against Buzz Boys

By GARY TROLLINGER

The undaunted Senior Trojans forged themselves a 34-30 victory over the scrapping Buzz Boys last night minus the services of their two bellows—Dave Ricketts and Mike Krickzy—over the last six minutes.

In the evening's prelim in the Outdoor Basketball tourney, Boyertown bumped the Towntrotters right out of the losers' bracket, 60-37, with a well knit offensive crew doing the wrecking.

The Trojans found themselves in several tight spots in the nightcap before it was all over and they were seeded safely to take on the Elks in the winners' bracket final this evening at 8:30.

The Buzzers held the lead right from the outset and never gave it up until 1:35 minutes remained in the third period.

Jim Petrucelli, the Buzzers' tall, enterprising, left shortly before the end of the period. Then with a minute gone in the last stanza, Krickzy hacked out his fifth foul.

Trojan Bill Detterer sank a foul, but ex-Trojan Jim Price mixed that to make it 43-42, Trojans.

Here Ricketts' string of personal runs out, and he was obliged to bid adieu—after producing only seven points.

Buzzer Hal Nuding converted the ensuing free throw to tie it up at 43-43, with 3:55 remaining.

With their two hotrocks missing, the remainder of the blue-clad scholastics' squad suddenly caught

fire. Dick Jamerson dunked a push goal and Jack Pollick converted a free throw.

Earl Decker planted a Buzzer deuce in the strings, but Doug Moser made a follow-in fender to make the call, 49-45, Trojans.

HAL NUDING started a surge by the losers with a jumping ace and dropped in a pusher after Decker's foul point.

That put the Buzzers in the van, 50-49 with three minutes to go but drew the curtain on their offensive show for the evening.

They just didn't have any more points left to put up against the hopped-up highschoolers.

Pollick, taking advantage of the new rule calling for two free throws on any infraction after the three-minute mark, canned a couple to regain the edge for the Trojans, 51-50.

Detterer's set twin-pointer with 25 seconds left clinched things.

Price got off a couple of push shot attempts after that and Tom Pollick of the Buzzers threw up a one-hander, but none of them connected.

And Jamerson really cooked their goose with a foul conversion with three seconds left. The Buzzers didn't get another shot.

Had Krickzy and Ricketts been available for less painstaking operation the Trojans might have their wait. But both of them caught a couple of technical fouls in the first half that hooked them on the bench for long stretches, and Dave had three personals over that space, and Mike, two.

KRICKZY SPARKED the Trojans' comeback in the third period, getting three goals and three fouls in that span.

The Trojan surge started with a 3:05 left in the third quarter when Polo Grounds when relief man Ricketts tapped in a double-decker and chipped in with a charity.

Then Mike laid in a layup on an assist from Detterer to give the Trojans the lead at 38-37 and stuck in a jump-shot to give the Blue its widest margin of the contest.

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Larry's Walk Ends Up in Wild Finish

NEW YORK, Sept. 8 (AP)—Pitcher Larry Jansen of the New York Giants took a walk in a bizarre ninth inning incident in today's New York-Brooklyn game and then was ejected from the contest after he hit Billy Cox with a pitched ball when ordered back to the mound. He faces a fine and possible suspension, depending on the report of the plate umpire, Lee Ballantant.

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Joe Miceli KO's Murray

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Ennis' Hand Appears Okay To Play Tonight

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 8 (AP)—Del Ennis doesn't have a fractured hand after all.

It had been announced yesterday that the star outfielder of the Philadelphia Phillies had fractured the second metacarpal bone in his left hand in the opener of Saturday night's twin-night doubleheader against the Boston Braves. Club officials said he probably would be out of action for the remainder of the season.

But further X-rays of the injured left hand disclosed today there was no fracture. Club trainer Frank Viecech said Ennis might be able to return to the lineup for tomorrow night's game with the St. Louis Cardinals.

Ennis fell in the sixth inning of Saturday's twilight game chasing a foul ball. The ball landed near the box seats in left field and the outfielder fell on the cement fronting the stands. Despite severe pain Ennis remained in the game and hit a 17th inning home run to win for the Phillies. He also played in the nightcap.

Boertown		Towntrotters	
Moyer, c	2 0 0	Travis, c	1 1 1
B. Eddinger, f	2 0 0	Strzelecki, f	2 0 2
Houck, c	2 0 0	Strzelecki, f	2 0 2
Fulmer, c	2 0 0	Strzelecki, f	2 0 2
B. Eddinger, c	2 0 0	Strzelecki, f	2 0 2
Mackey, c	2 0 0	Strzelecki, f	2 0 2
Lewis, c	2 0 0	Strzelecki, f	2 0 2

Trojan Sen.		Buzz Boys	
M. Krickzy, f	16 0 0	Strzelecki, f	11 0 0
J. Price, f	13 0 0	Strzelecki, f	11 0 0
D. Moser, f	13 0 0	Strzelecki, f	11 0 0
J. Detterer, f	13 0 0	Strzelecki, f	11 0 0
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Brooks, Giants Battle To Draw in Twin-Bill

NEW YORK, Sept. 8 (AP)—Hammered off the hill only yesterday, Sal (The Barber) Maglie came back tonight with a brilliant relief performance to pitch New York to a 3-2 "must" victory over Brooklyn and put the Giants back into the thick of the pennant battle with the Dodgers.

The triumph, New York's third in the crucial five-game series, gave the Giants a split in the day-night doubleheader and left them five games behind the National League leading Brooklyn. The Dodgers won the afternoon opener, 10-2, on Joe Black's superb relief pitching and home runs by Duke Snider, Billy Cox and Carl Furillo.

Don Mueller broke up the tight pitching duel between Maglie and young Billy Loes tonight with a two-out double in the ninth that scored Hank Thompson from second with the winning run.

Thompson had opened the inning with a single off Gil Hodges' glove, advanced to second on a sacrifice, stayed there when pinch hitter George Wilson flied out and raced across with the payoff tally when Mueller lashed a scorching down the left field line.

Maglie, victim of yesterday's 4-1 defeat to the Brooks and Preacher Roe, was credited with the victory, his 15th, after pitching three scoreless innings. He yielded only two hits over that stretch in gaining his sixth triumph of the campaign over the Dodgers.

The magnificent Barber rose to the heights in the seventh after relieving starter Al Corwin. Trailing 2-1, the Dodgers had tied the score at 2-2 against the young right hander when Hodges singled and scored on a three-bagger by Andy Pafko.

Maglie took over with Pafko on third base and nobody out. He got Loes to bounce out to second baseman Bobby Hofman as the runner held third. The veteran righthander then whipped a third strike past Cox for the second out.

Peeewe Reese walked. Still pitching carefully, Maglie threw three straight balls to the dangerous Jackie Robinson. The Brooklyn star then swung at the next pitch and slapped it to Hofman who beat Reese to second for an inning-ending force. The paid crowd of 35,420 gave Maglie a rousing reception as he walked into the dugout.

Day Game									
Brooklyn					New York				
	AB	H	R	A		AB	H	R	A
Cox, 3b	5	1	2	0	Mueller, rf	1	0	0	0
Reese, ss	5	2	1	3	St Elliott	0	0	0	0
Robinson, 2b	6	2	4	3	Wilson, rf	4	1	0	0
Campanella, c	5	3	6	0	Dark, ss	5	2	1	4
Pafko, lf	3	1	2	0	Lockman, lb	4	1	1	0
Hodges, 1b	2	0	7	2	Irvin, lf	4	1	0	0
Furillo, rf	5	1	1	0	Thomsen, cf	4	1	2	0
Snider, cf	4	2	3	0	Black, p	3	0	2	3
Lehman, p	4	0	1	0	Rosen, 2b	4	1	1	2
Black, p	4	0	1	0	Hofman, 2b	1	1	1	2
					Westrum, c	4	0	6	1
					Lanier, p	0	0	0	0
					Wilhelm, p	2	0	0	0
					Kennedy, p	0	0	0	0
					Rhodes, p	0	0	0	0
					Jansen, p	0	0	0	0
					Koslo, p	0	0	0	0
					Whitting, p	0	0	0	0
Totals	40	12	37	8	Totals	36	9	27	12

Totals 40 12 27 8 Totals 36 9 21 12

a—Announced as hatted for Mueller in 2nd.
b—Popped out for Elliott in 2nd.
c—Fanned for Kennedy in 7th.
d—Fanned for Koslo in 9th.

Brooklyn 500 hit 211-10
New York 500 hit 211-10

R—Snider, Reese, Robinson, Campanella, 2; Hodges, Pafko, Furillo, Snider, 2; Dark, Irvin, E. Westrum, Reese, Wilhelm, Dark, RBL-Cox, Robinson, 2; Snider, Irvin, 2; Furillo, 2; 2B—Snider, Dark, Lockman, Campanella, 1B—Reese, HR—Cox, Irvin, Furillo, Snider, BB—Reese, DP—Black, Robinson, and Hodges; Dark, Rosen and Lockman, LB—Brooklyn 11, New York 10, BB—Off Lehman 1, Black 2, Wilhelm 3, Kennedy 1, Jansen 3 in 12th, Koslo 6 in 13, HBP—Wilhelm (Hodges), Jansen (Pafko and Cox), PB—Campanella (VP, Black (17th), LF—Lanier (12th), L—Ballantiant, Stewart, Conlan and Barlick, T—3:12, A—21,226.

Night Game

Brooklyn

New York

	AB	H	R	A	AB	H	R	A	
Cox, 3b	4	1	1	3	Mueller, rf	5	3	0	0
Reese, ss	3	0	2	0	Dark, ss	4	2	1	2
Robinson, 2b	4	0	3	0	Lockman, lb	4	0	8	0
Shuba, lf	4	0	3	0	Irvin, lf	4	2	2	0
Furillo, rf	0	0	0	0	Thomsen, cf	4	2	1	0
Snider, cf	4	1	3	0	Black, p	4	2	1	0
Campanella, c	4	1	3	0	Yates, p	3	0	0	0
Hodges, 1b	3	2	1	1	Lehman, 2b	2	0	3	3
Pafko, lf	4	1	2	0	Rhodes, p	0	0	0	0
Loes, p	4	1	0	1	Corwin, p	1	0	0	0
					Maglie, p	0	0	0	0
					Wilson, p	1	0	0	0

Totals 34 7 26 x8 Totals 33 9 27 7

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a—Walked for Hofman in 9th.
b—Lined out for Maglie in 9th.
c—Two out when winning run scored.
d—Lined out for Maglie in 9th.

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R—Snider, Hodges, Mueller, Dark, Thompson, E. None, RBL—Snider, Dark, 2; Pafko, Mueller, 2B—Dark, Mueller, 2; R—Pafko, HR—Snider, Dark, S—Corwin, Yates, LB—Brooklyn 10, New York 8, BB—Off Loes 2, Corwin 3, Maglie 2, SO—Loes 2, Corwin 3, Maglie 2, HO—Corwin 3 in 6 (none out in 7th), Maglie 2 in 3, WP—Maglie (13-6), LP—Loes (13-7), 2—Conlan, Stewart, Barlick and Ballantiant, T—2:37, A—35,420.

MAJOR LEAGUE RESULTS

NATIONAL LEAGUE Standings

	W	L	Pct.	Behind
Brooklyn	45	40	.524	—
New York	42	43	.494	3
St. Louis	39	47	.451	7 1/2
Philadelphia	37	52	.413	10 1/2
Chicago	47	42	.524	20 1/2
Cincinnati	40	56	.413	25 1/2
Boston	35	54	.393	30 1/2
Pittsburgh	39	50	.438	31 1/2

Yesterday's Results
Brooklyn 10-2, New York 2-3.
Today's Games and Probable Pitchers
Chicago at Brooklyn—5:30 p.m.—Hodges (12-8) vs. Mueller (14-6).
Pittsburgh at New York—7:10 p.m.—Hodges (12-8) vs. Connelley (14-6).
St. Louis at Philadelphia—8:00 p.m.—Moser (12-11) vs. Simmons (11-12).
Cincinnati at Boston—8:20 p.m.—Church (15-5) and Parkowsky (11-8) vs. Nixhall (11-5) vs. Spahn (12-13) and Spencer (11-13).

AMERICAN LEAGUE Standings

	W	L	Pct.	Behind
New York	42	36	.539	—
Cleveland	40	38	.513	2
Boston	39	44	.475	6
Chicago	37	45	.449	9
Washington	32	50	.392	16
Philadelphia	27	57	.319	21
St. Louis	34	52	.398	24
Detroit	43	51	.457	25

Yesterday's Results
(No games scheduled)
Today's Games and Probable Pitchers
New York at St. Louis—9:30 p.m.—Rosen (15-5) vs. Littlefield (10-4).
Boston at Detroit—3:30 p.m.—Trotter (10-11) vs. Houlihan (7-15).
Philadelphia at Chicago—12:15 p.m.—Moser (12-11) vs. Nixhall (11-5).
Washington at Cleveland—7:30 and 9:30 p.m.—Fosterfield (12-13) and Fomelle (11-8) vs. Rosen (15-5) and Donah (12-13).

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Injured Steeler Player Reported Improved

PITTSBURGH, Sept. 8 (AP)—Harvard University of Tennessee star. Payne was injured in a kick off by the Steelers in the first quarter of the game, won by the 49ers by a 28-14 score. Eleven players were hospitalized with injuries but the particularly rough others were less seriously hurt. At the end of the contest, Coach Sly Simmons and the 49ers were back. Sly of the visitors declared: "These exhibition games can be tough on a ball club. I've never been in favor of them. If we're going to play league games right from the start, we ought to call them league games and count them in the league standings. "As today," Payne also suffered fractures of cheekbones and other tract covering the balance of 1952 facial bones. He is a former Uni-

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PANEL 1: A man in a suit and a woman in a dress are talking. The man says, "I'LL BE WATCHING THE BEAUTY CONTEST ON TV! MAY THE PRETTIEST GIRL WIN!!". The woman replies, "A YOUNG MAN TO SEE YOU, ETTA, DEAR!".

PANEL 2: The woman is now wearing a crown and a large dress, standing on a stage. She says, "YOU'D LIKE TO BE MY MANAGER?— BUT I HAVEN'T EVEN WON THE CONTEST YET!!". A man in a suit is looking at her. She also says, "YOU WILL—".

PANEL 3: The woman is on a movie set, wearing a crown and a large dress. She says, "I'LL RIDE TO THE THEATER WITH MARLENE". A man in a suit is looking at her. She also says, "SEE YOU KIDS IN A SEC!".

PANEL 4: The woman is in a car, wearing a crown and a large dress. She says, "AFTER YOU'RE CROWNED QUEEN, THERE'LL BE TV, AND MOVIE OFFERS. YOU'LL NEED SOMEONE TO HANDLE THE FINANCIAL DETAILS— HERE'S MY CAR—!!". A man in a suit is looking at her.

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NEWSPAPER ARCHIVE

Weisers Celebrate Anniversary With Daughter in Reading

Mrs. Thelma Weiser will leave her African violets, roses, and ivy and Mr. Ralph Weiser will leave his woodworking tools to visit Mrs. Robert Bierny who has invited her parents to spend the day with her in Reading where she has mysterious plans to entertain them in a way befitting 30th anniversary celebrations.

Thirty years ago today, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Weiser were married in the Evangelical church, Reading, by the Rev. S. H. Harner. Though Mrs. Weiser was born in Cedarville and Mr. Weiser in the apartment house now occupied by Snyder's hardware, they both decided to follow the Rev. Harner, a personal friend, to Reading for this occasion.

Red-headed Mr. Weiser recalls courting his wife in a sleigh. He remembers snow six to eight feet deep which was so high on the streets that he was only able to reach the Citizens National Bank before the snow balked his progress. A sleigh was the only sensible woo-vagon under such conditions.

An inspector at the Spicer Manufacturing corporation with which he has worked for the past 23 1/2 years, Mr. Weiser spends his spare time working with wood in his basement workshop. Mrs. Weiser's interests run more to plants for which she has a green thumb. Her kitchen has glass window-shelves filled with luxurious ivy and hardy violets, and a table laden with newly-made jelly. After raising five children and supervising the raising of two grandchildren, she also has found time to help solicit for the ambulance fund for the past four years.



Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Weiser, 1058 South street, are celebrating their 30th wedding anniversary with their daughter in Reading today. The couple was married in a Reading church.

Social News

Mrs. Bartman Is Feted On Birthday Anniversary

Mrs. Marion Bartman, Boyertown RD 1, was honored recently at a surprise birthday party given by her husband, Mr. Junior H. Bartman, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Y. Bartman, in their home, Boyertown RD 2.

After Mrs. Bartman had opened her gifts, refreshments were served. Guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Yerkey, Mr. and Mrs. George Amolie, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Hanley, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Bartman, Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Emery, Darlene and Jimmy, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Bartman.

Also Mr. and Mrs. Paul R. Bartman, Robert and Rose Marie, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wiesteger and David, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hill Jr. and Dennis, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Emes, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Dittman, Mrs. Sadie Weand, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Weller, Janice and Linda, Miss Marion Bartman.

Present, too, were: Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hoffman, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hoffman, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Monroe and Judy, Mrs. Kate Sell, Mr. Harry Kale, Mr. Charles Bartman, Mr. Junior H. Bartman, Mrs. Rose Eulrich, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Y. Bartman.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hobbs, 72 Manatawny street, returned from a visit to Laurel, Md., where they attended the Hobbs' family reunion. After dinner, Mrs. Hobbs and her grandniece, Mrs. T. L. Leap, were presented with corsages in honor of their birthday anniversaries.

David Bleacher, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bleacher, 68 South Keim street, left last night to return to Fresno State college, Fresno, Cal. He is going by train to Chicago where he will meet a friend and drive to California.

The five children baptized by Dr. Krouse were: Guenther John Theil, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Theil, Stowe; Karen Lee Moyer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Brooke E. Moyer, 308 1/2 East Buttonwood street; Catherine Alice Daegel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph F. Daegel, 105 Warwick settlement; Donna Kay Kline, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willard J. Kline, Boyertown RD 1; Linda Fay McCann, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William D. McCann, 395 Wilson street.

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Husband, Wife Team Perform in Church To Aid Vet Groups

About 75 persons attended the concert by Al and Ivy Walsh, nationally-known radio and concert artists, at the Searles Memorial Methodist church last night.

The program included solos by Mrs. Walsh and duets by the husband and wife team. It concluded with Mrs. Walsh singing "The Lord's Prayer" and the Rev. Maurice E. Hoover, pastor of the church, giving the benediction.

The program was sponsored by the Veterans' Hospitals program, a non-profit Protestant church organization devoted to entertaining veterans in hospitals throughout the country.

Following their Pottstown appearance, the Walshes will present a program at the Naval hospital in Philadelphia today and the Valley Forge Army hospital tomorrow. A third program this week will be given by Mr. and Mrs. Walsh on Thursday at the Army hospital at Coatesville.

MAINE ELECTION —

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36,154; Democrat James C. Oliver 16,819. Henry W. Boyker, Independent, 408. Neil S. Bishop, Republican Independent, 10,507. Boyker is a Republican State Senator.

Percentage-wise, the Senate vote ran: Payee 65, Dube 27 and Grant eight.

In the gubernatorial balloting it was: Cross 56 1/2, Oliver 26 1/2, Bishop 16 and Boyker one.

REPUBLICAN CONGRESSMEN seeking reelection were way ahead. In the First district, the vote in 67 of 155 precincts was 13,475 for Rep. Robert Hale and 5628 for James A. McVicar, Democrat.

Rep. Charles P. Nelson led Democrat Leland B. Currier and Liberal Democrat Antonio M. Chiaravallotti. In 113 of 210 precincts the vote was Nelson 18,117; Currier, 5768; Chiaravallotti 255.

Of 260 Third district precincts, 177 gave Rep. Clifford G. McIntire 19,777 votes and Democrat Philip R. Sharpe 5365.

Before the city vote started rolling in, Payne's margin approximated that of Mrs. Smith in 1948. At one point his percentage was up to 71.6.

Franklin county, in western Maine, was first to complete its returns. Payne carried the largely rural county with 5887 votes to 1416 for Dube and 213 for Grant.

Four years ago Mrs. Smith polled 4138 votes to her Democratic opponent's 1434 in Franklin.

SAFETY TALKS —

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told her that by her disobeying all the rules he had taught the children it would make all the instructions he had passed on to them worthless.

The embarrassed woman admitted that she had not thought about that when she began crossing the street.

"People have got to think when they have children when it comes to matters of safety," Sgt. Hahn said. "The adults have got to set examples for their children to follow. If they keep jay-walking, then so will their children."

"We're proud of our 16-year record of not having an accident at an intersection while under the protection of our safety patrol and we don't want to spoil it this year," he added.

DEATH PROBE —

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days before his death.

Montgomery county coroner's office, in the case because of the place of death, reported that no inquest has been scheduled yet. The First Methodist, the Rev. A. S. Hanson, St. Peter's Lutheran, Stowe, the Rev. Paul C. Scheirer, St. John's Reformed and St. Paul's Reformed, Stowe, the Rev. Haywood L. Butler, Second Baptist, and the Rev. D. Howard Keiper, Coventry Church of the Brethren.

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New School's Financing

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has decided to put this question on the ballot.

2. It was brought out that financing the new 12-room elementary school through an authority, which would float a bond issue and which would be repaid in a annual rental by the school district, probably would be less expensive than would a school district bond issue.

A local authority does not require voter approval to float a bond issue.

HAROLD BINDER, solicitor, first raised doubts about the wisdom of involving the school question with the street question.

Carl M. Binder, his brother and a Republican board member, agreed, then put the problem on a non-partisan basis by asking the opinion of one of the three Democrats on the seven-man board, Victor J. Roberts.

Roberts said, "It would be kind of a risky thing to have that (the street bond question) tied up with the vote on the school bonds."

Six heads nodded.

William H. Yohn asked him whether authority financing would cost much more than referendum financing.

Roberts replied that authority financing not only would not cost much more: "It probably would cost a little less."

He explained that while an authority would have to pay a slightly higher interest rate than the school district would this difference would be more than balanced by the financial assistance the State would give an authority-financed school.

THE STATE would not give such assistance if the school were financed by a school district bond issue.

This State assistance was authorized by the 1951 Legislature, Roberts said. It does not go to other projects built by local authorities, such as the sewer plant being built in the borough.

Board members decided they would set up a "municipal" authority, leaving themselves the choice of joining the sewer authority already set up, or of naming a separate school authority.

The authority would float a \$300,000 bond issue. The board would repay it through an annual rental of \$15,900 a year for 32 years. The State would contribute about \$3500 a year.

This would mean that the school district would pay about \$300,000 altogether for the \$300,000 school.

BOND ISSUE —

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to believe the issue will be less than \$750,000. I'm perfectly willing to let the details go until the next meeting."

Twaddell jumped to the floor and snapped, "I made a motion this be referred back to the highway committee to be worked out in more complete detail."

PRESIDENT WILLIAM H. REIFSNYDER, Sixth ward, explained there already was a motion on the floor which had to be voted on before a second motion could be entertained.

Paul P. Kohler, Second ward, explained, "Just to clear Mr. Twaddell's mind I think all council members should be invited to the highway committee meeting at which features of the bond issue will be worked out. I think we all will be much better informed, that way."

Paul Marshall, Tenth ward chairman of the highway committee, asserted, "That's right. I agree with Mr. Kohler." He then asked Gulden how soon all available information on the issue could be printed for councilmen.

Gulden said he would have copies of the map and streets ready by the end of the week.

Reifsnnyder then called for the vote.

Voting yes in addition to Henricks and Ruyak were Schade, Kohler, Marshall, Reifsnnyder, Warren E. Endy, Second ward; C. Raymond Eppheimer and J. Wayne Knause, Seventh ward; Charles S. Grabb, Ninth ward; Peter J. Lawler, Third ward; Wilbert O'Dell, Eighth ward; Paul I. Romig and Earl R. Strange, West ward; Ralph

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Wells, Fifth ward, and Stanley Zawaski, Fourth ward.

Before the vote Knause said, "I feel we can pull a sizeable portion of the money allotted for the highway department to help finance the bond issue."

Wells asserted, "I think Mr. Kohler is absolutely correct. I think more information could be worked out, but I think the committee wants to work it out later."

Just before Marshall moved the street ordinance he approved Desk Sgt. Russell B. Hummel restored lights to the darkened council chambers.

Lights blinked out while Shaeffer was reading the ordinance. Shaeffer read most of the ordinance in the dark while councilmen whispered.

A. Emery Lord, Eighth ward, John S. Frain, Fifth ward, and Ernest C. Hurter, Sixth ward, were absent.

BOY HIT —

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highway from a roadside stand when a car driven by Wilson C. Cooper, Phoenixville RD 2, who was travelling north, hit him.

Phoenixville hospital authorities said the boy had multiple cuts of the body and possible broken bones.

STRIKE SCHEDULED

KIEL, Germany, Sept. 8.—About 35,000 metal workers will go on a strike Wednesday, union leaders said tonight, that will tie up West Germany's Baltic sea ship-building industry.

WELLS EXPLAINED the ruling which provides builders pay one-half the costs of street construction applies to border streets.

He said a supplementary resolution which will include a clause to permit property owners to pay for streets over a 10-year plan, a clause which will assure residents of older streets they won't pay any more for heavier construction than home owners in new developments and any other features council chooses can be passed at the next meeting.

Both Knause and Marshall urged council to pass the ordinance. They explained it was merely setting a date and few specifications for the issue and the program would be outlined at future meetings of the expanded highway committee.

Kohler said, "One of the biggest drawbacks to the last issue was the misinformation

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Voters to Cast Ballots on Fate Of McCarthy

MILWAUKEE, Sept. 8 (AP)—Switch-voting Democrats appeared tonight to be the major unknown factor in Sen. Joseph R. McCarthy's fight to win the GOP nomination for his second term in the U. S. Senate at tomorrow's Wisconsin primary election.

Upward of 1,000,000 voters are expected to go to the polls and make their decision on 42-year-old McCarthy, whose name has come to mean "Americanism" to some and "smear" to others through his Communist-in-government charges.

Finletter Denies Air Strength Has Dipped Since Korean War

WASHINGTON, Sept. 8 (AP)—The Air Force replied somewhat testily today to accusations that it has fewer planes than when the Korean war started and that production troubles and gimmicks added to aircraft have caused delays.

Secretary of the Air Force Finletter discussed at a news conference what he called a "spate of comment in the papers recently." It appeared that he had in mind primarily a recent report by the Senate Armed Services subcommittee investigating preparedness.

Among other things, Finletter said:

1. There has been "slight reduction" in the total number of planes in the air force inventory, but the number of airplanes in units— which he said is what counts because that is the striking force— increased 33 percent from July 1950 to March 31, 1952. The overall decrease came primarily from tapping the supply of planes in storage, an inventory which was reduced 60 percent. The Senate committee had noted the net decrease in the total inventory. Finletter said such a figure "is wholly misleading and should be debunked."

Such switch-voting is legal in Wisconsin where laws do not require registration by party. The political experts foresee a McCarthy victory—but no one knows just what influence the Democrats may have in this Republican contest.

The McCarthy-Schmitt race dominated interest in the state's primary. And it was being watched across the nation. Most of Wisconsin's 3224 precincts in 71 counties will open around 9 a. m. (Pottstown time). Closing time will vary from 7 p. m. in the rural areas to 10 p. m. in some cities.

A trend in the voting may not develop until after midnight due to expected slow counting in densely populated Milwaukee.

Frank Costello Faces Loss Of Citizenship

WASHINGTON, Sept. 8 (AP)—The Justice department announced today it will try to strip American citizenship from Frank Costello, dapper racket czar who came to this country from Italy at the age of four.

Attorney General McGranery said the attempt will be based on a charge that Costello lied by failing to disclose a prior criminal record when he applied for citizenship in 1925.

McGranery referred to a 10 months sentence Costello served in 1915 for carrying a pistol. Although his police record in the 35 years since is voluminous, Costello avoided going to jail until the past month, when he started an 18 months sentence in the Lewisburg (Pa.) Federal penitentiary for contempt of Congress. He was convicted for refusing to answer questions before the crime committee headed by Sen. Kefauver (D-Tenn.) and for stalking out of the group's hearings.

A Justice department spokesman was asked whether the denaturalization proceeding, if successful, would lead to deportation of the 62-year old kingpin racketeer.

"We'll cross that bridge when we come to it," he replied.



FRANK COSTELLO

Figure in Egypt's New Crisis



Egyptian Premier Aly Maher Pasha (left) has resigned in the face of pressure from military leader Maj. Gen. Mohammed Neguib (right), according to Cairo dispatches. Gen. Neguib took over and said he would rid the country of corruption. Aly Maher became premier when King Farouk was deposed. His resignation coincided with a widespread political purge.

Naguib Vows to Rid Egypt of Corruption

CAIRO, Egypt, Sept. 8 (AP)—through with that phase of his Egypt's strong man, Maj. Gen. Mohammed Naguib, began the task of governing the country today vowing drastic surgery to rid it of corruption and economic ills.

The 51-year-old Army commander called his new cabinet of civilians to meet for the first time to tackle problems inherited by his dramatic sweep to power Sunday.

Impatient at the feeble motions of the political parties to purge their leadership of alleged grafters, Gen. Naguib yesterday directed a roundup of 47 prominent persons, including seven members of Ex-King Farouk's family and household, eight outstanding figures in the powerful Wafd party, five Saadist party chiefs and two Liberal Constitutionalists.

Two more politicians were reported arrested in Alexandria today, indicating Naguib was not yet satisfied.

Malik Loses in UN

UNITED NATIONS, N. Y., Sept. 8 (AP)—Russia's Jacob A. Malik today lost his fight for the simultaneous admission of 14 countries to the United Nations but he succeeded in splitting the Western bloc.

The vote was two in favor, five opposed and four abstaining. Ahmed S. Bokhari, Pakistan, was the only delegate to join Malik in supporting the Russian resolution, which has been branded by the West and other council delegates as a "horse-trade."

The United States, leading the opposition against Malik's plan, voted against it, along with Nationalist China, Greece, Brazil and The Netherlands.

France and Britain, the other two of the Western Big Three, broke away from the U. S. view, and abstained, along with Turkey and Chile. A majority of seven votes, with the U. S., Britain, France, China and Russia agreeing, is necessary to put a membership recommendation through the Security Council.

PAKISTAN'S VIEW is that all applicants should be admitted to the United Nations.

MUCH WORK SCHEDULED NEW YORK, Sept. 8 (AP)—The nation's steel plants have scheduled work this week to turn out their highest tonnage since the week of May 19, before the recent strike.

Jury Indicts Accardo and Joe Adonis

WASHINGTON, Sept. 8 (AP)—A Federal grand jury today indicted underworld overlords Joe Adonis and Anthony J. Accardo for contempt of Congress — a refusal to answer questions before the Kefauver Crime Investigating committee the past year.

Eight counts were lodged against Accardo, considered to be the successor to scarface Al Capone as top man in Chicago's underworld.

Adonis, reputed boss of gambling and vice on the East Coast who is now serving a two to three year term in New Jersey State prison on gambling charges, was indicted on ten counts. Adonis was subpoenaed under his real name of Joseph Doto.

Conviction on each count carries a maximum penalty of one year in jail and a \$1000 fine.

THE INDICTMENTS are similar to several against Frank Costello which cast the kingpin racketeer a \$2000 fine and sent him to jail for 18 months. Costello had stalked out of the committee hearings.

Then Accardo and Adonis appeared before the Kefauver committee in January, 1951. They balked at answering practically all questions. They based their silence on fear of self-incrimination.

But Sen. Kefauver (D-Tenn.), in asking the Senate to cite them for contempt, said refusal to testify on such grounds applies only in cases of Federal offense. He noted that Adonis' and Accardo's questioning dealt with gambling and party members, the only political group not touched by the roundup.

Caudle Claims Some Officials Pulled Strings

WASHINGTON, Sept. 8 (AP)—An ousted Government prosecutor told House investigators today that Government officials tried to influence his decisions in tax fraud cases.

T. Lamar Caudle, fired from his post as assistant attorney general by President Truman the past November, was quoted as testifying that "more than normal" pressure was put on him while he was in charge of the Justice department's tax division.

No names were disclosed, but some members of Congress were said to be involved.

Rep. Chelf (D-Ky.), chairman of a judiciary subcommittee which heard Caudle at a closed-door session, told reporters that Caudle did not indicate that Truman ever exerted pressure on him and did not implicate any members of the White House staff.

But Rep. Keating (R-N.Y.), another member of the committee, disagreed with Chelf.

"I WILL say there is evidence of pressure having been brought by those in the White House on Caudle," Keating said.

Chelf observed that he and Keating apparently had interpreted Caudle's testimony differently, and that he would reread the record to see if he was wrong.

The New York congressman agreed with Chelf that Caudle had testified Truman never called him about a case directly.

The Chelf committee is examining the Justice department's record in prosecuting tax fraud cases.

Caudle was relieved of his Justice department job because of what the White House called outside activities incompatible with his official duties.

It was disclosed yesterday that Truman had written Caudle a letter less than three weeks before his discharge thanking him for the gift of a cigarette case.

JOSEPH MATZNER, publisher of the National Retail Liquor Package Stores association, incorporated, as the dealers opened a week's convention.

UN spokesmen denied any bootlegging by its personnel. They suggested unofficially the dealers were just mad because they are being by-passed on some liquor sales.

Top brass in the UN and members of foreign delegations are permitted to ask for and receive specific allotments of tax-free liquors from State warehouses. The State department handles the requests.

JOSEPH MATZNER, publisher of the National Retail Liquor Package Stores association, incorporated, as the dealers opened a week's convention.

"If United Nations personnel alone drank all the liquor they are buying, they would be drunk from morning to night the year around."

The president of the association Benjamin Josephs said he is going to ask Congress to look into the matter. He doesn't think top UN diplomats are involved but blamed Truman for lessening lights from the delegations of Soviet Russia, Britain, France, Holland, Nicaragua, Ecuador and Peru.

SENATOR IS CAUTIOUS

Taft Cohorts to March by Ike

CLEVELAND, Sept. 8 (AP)—The Ohio political forces of Sen. Robert A. Taft chorused assurances today to his supporters that they will march by his side in the Eisenhower candidacy over the Republican presidential campaign.

But the Ohio Senator, who was defeated by Eisenhower for the GOP presidential nomination, from Ohio, Pennsylvania and Maryland in Washington with a muted, cautious voice.

There was this point of agreement in Washington and here at Eisenhower's headquarters for a day — that the General and the Senator will meet soon, probably later in the week in New York.

The question of how far Taft and his supporters will go in throwing wholehearted backing behind the Eisenhower candidacy over the Republican presidential campaign, shadowed all others as the General flew here from Minneapolis.

Eisenhower himself told a news conference the date of a meeting with Taft has not definitely been set, and that it will be held at Taft's convenience. By reason of Taft's position of party leadership in the Senate, the General said, the Senator can't help but be one of the greatest figures of a Republican administration.

"Any advice and council he would have to express," Eisenhower said, "would be important."

And the senator said in Washington that he naturally is "interested in General Eisenhower's views on the various issues and policies he intends to adopt when elected."

And he added in a statement that the exact role he will play in the campaign hinges on the outcome of the forthcoming conference.

Taft did say that he has made campaign speaking dates for Ohio and that the Republican National committee has "invited me to make a national broadcast and speak throughout the country."

Regardless of whether Taft and Eisenhower get together on what Eisenhower predicted will be "one real team to stand together in every corner of these United States," Republican leaders from miles northeast of here today lauded Taft's own state volunteered shortly after 12 crewmen bailed out of all-out support for the GOP ticket.

Whistle Stopping Is Ruled Out by Taft

WASHINGTON, Sept. 8 (AP)—Sen. Robert A. Taft ruled out any "whistle stopping" today in making himself available for limited campaigning in behalf of Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower and the Republican ticket.

The Ohio senator, tanned and fresh from a seven-week vacation in Canada, said in a statement the exact part he will play in the presidential drive will be determined at an early conference with Eisenhower. The conference may be held within a week at an as yet unspecified place.

Eisenhower, who defeated Taft for the party nomination in a bitter, party-splitting battle at the Chicago convention, has said he hopes Taft will play an important role in the general election drive.

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Around the Nation

Friends Told

WASHINGTON, Sept. 8 (AP)—Ronald Seeley, a Washington engineer, said today he told a friend or two in advance of the official announcement that he expected a new atomic plant to be located in Pike county, Ohio.

But he declared he simply figured out the probable location by analyzing non-secret data available to everybody, and had no advance information from anybody in the Atomic Energy commission (AEC).

Commentator Drew Pearson told a "television audience last night that there was a 'leak' from the commission in advance of AEC's Aug. 12 announcement that the \$120,000,000 T-235 plant would be built in Pike county.

Bomber Explodes

PHILIPSBURG, Mont., Sept. 8 (AP)—A B-29 exploded and burned on a heavily timbered mountain five miles northeast of here today. Taft's own state volunteered shortly after 12 crewmen bailed out of all-out support for the GOP ticket.

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Council Places Street Bond Issue on Ballot

Douglass Board Rescinds Suspension of Teacher

By MERCURY STAFF WRITER ED ZUMACH

The 30-day suspension of Mrs. Mary E. Trethewey, Colebrookdale school teacher, on a charge of insubordination, was rescinded last night by four members of the Douglass township (Berks county) school board.

The move followed an explanation by Board Solicitor Ralph C. Body that the school code does not permit the suspension of a teacher, that it covers only dismissals.

He indicated the board had acted illegally in approving the teacher's suspension without giving her a hearing before acting.

Between Body's explanation and the rescinding of the suspension order, 75 minutes later, some of the 16 residents and parents present at the special meeting in Colebrookdale school indicated by comments and queries that they would approve readily the unseating of some of their school directors.

Mrs. Trethewey taught her First and Second grade classes yesterday without incident. The suspension had been lifted for yesterday only by the directors at a special meeting the past Friday night.

A Reading State policeman was on duty at the school when Mrs. Trethewey arrived, to see that no one attempted to prevent her from teaching.

The policeman had been requested by the teacher's Reading attorney, M. Bernard Hoffman, before the suspension was lifted and after he had directed her the past week to ignore the suspension order.

John J. Dusco, vice president of the board, made the motion withdrawing the suspension motion. He made the original motion the past week on learning the teacher reportedly had told another teacher she had not been informed a teachers' meeting had been canceled.

He considered the alleged action insubordination and the four other directors supported his motion to suspend Mrs. Trethewey.

Director Clyde E. Sites, John J. McCartney and Irvin W. Romich, board president, approved the withdrawing motion. Board Secretary Baker T. Gresh was not at the hearing.

Last night's motion included the ending of the suspension order and an order to Gresh to telegram the teacher she no longer was suspended.

The telegram is a technicality, however, since Mrs. Trethewey was present at the meeting and heard, without apparent emotion, the suspension motion withdrawn.

In speaking of the Legislative act of 1949 amending the school law, he said:

New School To Be Backed By Authority

By FRED C. SELBY (Mercury Staff Writer)

Pottstown school directors removed the proposed \$300,000 West End school from the danger of becoming a political issue by voting at their meeting last night to have it financed through a local authority rather than through a referendum bond issue.

The action was taken unanimously.

Until last night, the board had been leaning slightly toward the idea of going to the voters in the November election and asking them to approve a bond issue floated by the school district.

Two major points, brought out during a 20-minute discussion, swung opinion to the authority idea.

1. Several directors raised the possibility that the school-bond referendum might get entangled with the fate of the proposed \$750,000 bond issue to improve Pottstown's streets. Borough council already

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With chalk in hand, Gloria Spatziani starts the day's lesson at Lincoln school. The 26-year old first grade teacher recently returned from a two-and-one-half month tour of Europe this Summer.

Voters to Decide Nov. 4 On \$750,000 Program

By ROBERT E. HOYER (Mercury Staff Writer)

Fate of Pottstown's \$750,000 street improvement bond issue last night was entrusted to borough voters.

Council passed an ordinance, which will place the bond issue on the Nov. 4 ballot, by a smashing 16-1 margin.

A solitary, angry "no" was shouted by Democrat William B. Twaddell, Fourth ward, when Borough Secretary William S. Shaeffer called the roll.

Democrats W. Mark Henricks, Tenth ward, and George P. Ruvak, Third ward, qualified their yes votes with identical explanations, "Let the voters decide."

Just before the vote, Twaddell angrily challenged Solicitor C. Edmund Wells and Borough Manager Horace B. Gulden for the lack of information available on the issue.

Gulden explained what previously had been thrashed over in committee while Frank J. Keezan, assistant borough manager, brought a copy of the street map, which was printed in The Mercury this past Aug. 21.

Gulden then attempted to explain the map. A story which accompanied the map in The Mercury listed all streets to be included in the issue and the estimated cost of each improvement.

The map outlined old and unimproved streets which are included in the program.

War to Free Nations Is Hit By Stevenson

PORTLAND, Ore., Sept. 8 (AP)—Gov. Adlai Stevenson told a group of editors today that talk of war to free the captive nations behind the Iron Curtain is "one of the most mischievous ideas that has been injected into this campaign."

Stevenson made the statement in answer to a question from the audience after a luncheon appearance and speech here.

The question may have stemmed from a speech before the American Legion convention the past month by Gen. Dwight Eisenhower, the Republican candidate for president. Eisenhower proposed the United States tell Russia "with cold finality" that this country will never finally recognize the enslavement by the Reds of the previously sovereign nations of Europe.

The question today was: "Is it your opinion that either political party can give assurance of liberation to the captive peoples behind the Iron Curtain within any foreseeable future?"

Stevenson replied, after asking whether the discussion was on or off the record.

"I shall answer that question in one syllable — no!"

"IT IS a very difficult question present to me. I should like to talk about it for half an hour. The inference that a war of liberation — to liberate the captive populations behind the Iron Curtain — seems to me one of the most mischievous ideas that has been injected into this campaign. Mischievous not only in the sense of misleading, but in the sense of positive danger to the future."

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Court Hears Arguments on New CIO Home

A protest against Pottstown CIO locals use of the old Weitzenkorn home, 1304 High street, for offices was carried to Montgomery county argument court yesterday.

A decision on the case is expected in a month.

Norristown Attorney Julian W. Barnard represented residents who protested the decision of Pottstown zoning board of adjustment, which granted union use of the building as an office building this past Dec. 27.

Pottstown Attorney Louis Sager represented the CIO joint property committee at yesterday's session. He purchased the property for the committee at auction for \$19,000 this past Nov. 22.

Solicitor C. Edmund Wells explained the decision of the zoning board of adjustment.

Sager pointed out under the zoning ordinance and State Enabling act, a zoning board of adjustment has the discretion to grant an exception subject to certain conditions, restrictions and limitations.

He said an Appellate court should not reverse a zoning board of adjustment unless there is a showing of a flagrant abuse of that discretion.

THE ATTORNEY explained that whether an applicant is a club is the basic question.

He defined a club as an association of people in a common objective, such as for fraternal, political or social reasons.

Sager asserted that by limiting its functions at 1304 High street to administrative officers the apartment building.

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School Bus Plan Defeated, 4-3, at Board Meeting

Twenty-one Hillcrest residents appeared at the school board meeting last night to argue vehemently for free school bus service for their children.

Although the Republican majority stuck by its decision not to grant such service at the taxpayers' expense, a compromise appeared in the offering.

As the four GOP members charged "politics," two of the three Democratic members made speeches to the delegation, saying in brief that they were on their side.

A Democratic proposal for giving the section bus service for their children entirely at taxpayers' expense was defeated on party lines 4-3.

BY THE same vote, the Republicans passed a motion that Dr. George A. McCormick, superintendent of schools, and Linford Moyer, school district secretary, should explore the possibility of having bus service provided for

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Community Service To Mark New Bible

A community service to mark the publication of the new "Peoples Bible" will be held in Emmanuël Lutheran church Tuesday, Sept. 30, at 8 p. m.

This was announced yesterday by the Rev. Laurence T. Beers, pastor of First Baptist church and general chairman of the Pottstown Ministerial association committee in charge of the observance during the week Sept. 28 to Oct. 5.

He noted that similar inter-church meetings will be held in more than 3000 other communities in the United States and Canada.

The Sept. 30 program will be addressed on the observance theme, "The Word of Life in Living Language," by Dr. W. Everett Griffiths, former professor of Old Testament and Hebrew at Eastern Baptist seminary, Philadelphia, now pastor of the First Baptist church of Norristown.

THERE ALSO WILL be music by the Emmanuel Lutheran church choir under the direction of Mrs. William Hellyer, readings from the new revised Bible; presentation of five copies of it to representative community leaders; and a litany of thanksgiving and dedication.

The Rev. Beers declared, "The completion of the Revised Standard Version of the Holy Bible marks an epoch in the religious life of the English-speaking peoples comparable to that marked by the issuance of the King James Version in 1611."

Thirty-two Bible scholars have been working on the revision since 1930. No changes from the older authorized versions were made without approval of two-thirds of this group.

This group was appointed by the former International Council of Religious Education, representing 40 major denom-

Parents Make Plea to Have Sewer Service

By CHARLES T. HEARN (Mercury Staff Writer)

A Pottstown mother and father of five children made a plea last night to the board of health to restore sewer service to their home after spending more than a year without it.

Mr. and Mrs. James B. Scannelly, 439 Lincoln avenue (rear), said when they bought their home five years ago, one of the stipulations in the deed gave them permission to hook up to the sewer line which ran through the front of the house.

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Zeigler own the front house. About a year ago, Zeigler disconnected the Scannelly line which ran through his basement to connect with the main line on Lincoln avenue because he said the pipes leaked in his cellar.

Zeigler reported he told Scannelly to fix it before he cut off the sewer line. Scannelly claimed that he kept the line clear while it was in use and since it has been disconnected he has repeatedly tried to get permission to enter Zeigler's house, but he says Zeigler will not allow him to repair the pipes.

FRANCIS H. PETERMAN, vice president of the health board, asked, "What sort of sewage do you have now?"

"Absolutely nothing," Scannelly said.

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Man Gives Friend Hand, Has It Hurt

Frank Shaner, 81, of 14 West Main street, South Pottstown, suffered three crushed fingers on his right hand yesterday afternoon while holding a peg for a fellow worker to drive with a sledge hammer.

Shaner was working for Charles J. Stout, contractor, 695 North Hanover street, when the accident occurred. He was taken to Pottstown hospital at 3:15 p. m. Dr. Rudolph Glocker operated, after which the workman was admitted to the hospital.

Products of Farm, Home To Be Displayed at Norco

North Coventry High school's sixth annual farm and home products show will be held Tuesday and Wednesday, Sept. 16-17, at the school auditorium and the agriculture building.

Sponsoring the show are the North Coventry grange, the Coventry Agriculture association, the parents and teachers association, the vocational home economics department and the future farmers of America.

On the first day of the show, it will be open from 4 to 10 p. m. and on the second day it will be open from 9 a. m. until 10 p. m.

Awards to winners will be made on the last day of the products show at 9 p. m.

The object of the farm home products show is to promote

These Kids Couldn't Wait to Start Riding

Eager horsemen and future range riders get set for action at the horse show held Saturday on the Superior Tube company grounds, Evansburg. At left candidates line up as they wait to ride Hopalong Cassidy's horse, Topper.

The former movie horse was the star attraction for the young horse fanciers. At left the rising generation of horsemen get ready to show their mounts. The annual show is one of the most eagerly attended events in the Perkiomen valley. Ideal weather, warm and sunny, contributed to the color and high spirits of the participants.

Noreo Board Elects Teachers

Three new teachers were elected by the North Coventry township school board last night.

Paul Langford, a graduate of Franklin and Marshall college was appointed to teach the Fifth grade as a replacement for Mrs. E. Jaqueline Schneider.

Another Franklin and Marshall college graduate, Kenneth J. Miller will replace Robert C. Pine as instructor of English and Social studies at the high school.

The third teacher to be elected last night was Miss Jean Ann Wannan, a University of Maryland alumna, who will replace Miss Helen McArdle as art supervisor.

PAUL H. GRIM, supervising principal, announced that the board granted permission for several high school classes to attend the industrial exhibit at the King street armory Oct. 14, 15 and 16.

E. Gilbert Stauffer, president of the board, was in charge of last night's meeting.

Cancer Clinic Is Closed Here

The Pottstown cancer detection clinic will be closed indefinitely due to the decreased volume of persons using its facilities, it was announced yesterday.

The branch of the American Cancer society closed for the past July and August and intended to reopen this month but the expense of maintaining the office at the hospital proved to be too high for the number of persons taking advantage of the clinic.

The clinic had been in operation since January, 1948, closing only for the Summer months.

It was reported that many persons had been examined by their own physicians rather than at the clinic to detect cancerous growths and many other persons did not think to take advantage of the methods used by the branch of the American Cancer society.

Persons who still feel that they would prefer to be examined at one of the clinics of the society may still do so at the six branches of the cancer society in Philadelphia.

Norristown residents have been using the facilities of the Philadelphia clinics for the past year. The Norristown branch closed a year ago.



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The vocation of every man and woman is to serve other people.—Count Lyof Nikolayevitch Tolstoy.

War? We're Only Worriers

EUROPEAN journalists and others who visit this country often are surprised at one thing—the amount of war talk that goes on inside the United States.

This doesn't mean thoughtful Europeans are performing the ostrich act, burying their heads in the sand, and telling themselves that all is well and the Soviet Union isn't so much of a menace after all.

But the European press plays down the possibility of war much more than does the American, and the feeling that another global war is inevitable is much more widely held here than across the Atlantic.

There may be a certain fatalism in the European attitude.

War has devastated her cities and decimated generations of young men. It has created human misery to an unknown and almost unimaginable extent so far as most Americans are concerned.

So great and awful a cataclysm, many Europeans feel, cannot happen again. And most certainly they feel that, should it happen, the world will end so far as they are concerned, and victor and vanquished alike will be destroyed.

In any event, and regardless of the reasons for it, the European Army plan has fallen far short of the blueprints.

The story is well told in an article in U.S. News & World Report, which began, "An unexpected slowdown is upsetting the basic schedules for building of military defenses for Western Europe."

"Target dates for arms build-up are being set back. Budgets for armament are being replanned and reduced. Arms output and arms shipment are lagging."

"War, if it should come in the year or two just ahead, will the West far less prepared than plans called for just six months ago. Real defense, which had been planned for 1934, now appears unlikely before 1936 or later."

The goal set for NATO was 25 fully equipped and active divisions by December of this year. These were supposed to be A-1 outfits, ready for anything.

Actually, 23 divisions are in being, but they are poorly trained and their equipment is inferior.

Equally important, there is a severe shortage of up-to-date combat aircraft, and a potentially even more serious lack of adequate bases.

All the nations involved have contributed in one way or another to the slowdown, with the exception of The Netherlands.

Britain's rearmament program is well behind schedule and may sag further.

We have reduced our aid to Europe.

France has cut her defense goals, and Italy is asking for a cut.

The start of German rearmament is being delayed.

What it all amounts to is that Europeans are enormously weary of the burdens imposed by war and by preparation for war.

Some of them argue that if the Russians had wanted war, it would have started before this, when Western Europe was totally defenseless and the Soviet hordes could have rolled to the channel and perhaps beyond without encountering anything worthy of the word opposition.

As U.S. News put it, "War in Europe, any time soon, is being set down as a remote prospect by the military leaders and diplomats who shape policy in Western Europe."

Armed strength is regarded as an argument to be used in some future negotiated settlement with the Communists rather than as preparation to defend the Continent against an early armed aggression.

Fruits of Socialism

SOCIALISM is like a high tension wire. Once you grab hold of it, you can't let go.

This simple lesson can be learned by taking a searching look at the new mutual defense treaty negotiated by the United States, Australia and New Zealand.

The people of New Zealand are still paying heavily for socialism, despite the fact that they voted the socialists out of office two years ago.

The New Zealanders, it seems, are contributing only \$70 million of their share of mutual defense in the Pacific—out of a total budget of about \$300 million. One of the principal reasons why they can't spend more is that almost half their entire budget—about \$275 million—must be used to meet the continuing costs of the welfare programs which the socialists inaugurated and left in their laps.

As a result, the United States will have to assume the lion's share of the financial burdens growing out of the newly-formed alliance.

GRAMPAW NED OAKLEY

PUNKIN CORNERS, September 8.

Dear Sir "N" Brother:

Wal, I see by the papers where a noted medico says there are one million women who are overweight. Wal, that's just about as round a figure as he could find, no doubt.

Chile has just staged its national presidential election. Smart people, those Chileans. They've saved themselves two months of listening to political speeches.

And say: There is no law, a court rules, against living in trees. Aside from birds and squirrels, who benefits?

Hopin' you air the same.

GRAMPAW NED OAKLEY

READERS SAY:

Plan For Nurse Training Hailed

Hospital Plan's Good

To the Editor: As a registered nurse who now must devote all her time and energy to being a mother and housewife, I'd like to write a few words of praise for Memorial hospital's plan to help practical nurses meet the State requirements.

There are many women—I know some of them myself—who, for various reasons, could not go through nursing school and qualify for their degree.

But they have humanitarian impulses, an interest in serving their fellow-man and could be excellent practical nurses, nurses' aides or fill some other minor, part-time duty in a hospital or in patients' homes.

By helping these women, Memorial hospital is not only helping itself, but is doing the entire community a real service.

Pottstown

MRS. R. N.

Unhappy Hunter

To the Editor: The old saying "there's more than one way to skin a cat" must also apply to the poor misguided souls who want a little sport and recreation shooting groundhogs in Pennsylvania.

By order of the Pennsylvania Game commission it requires two licenses to hunt those tasty little hogs for one season.

What? We have a non-believer in the house?

The groundhog season opens July 1 and ends Sept. 30. The skin end comes with the expiration of 1932 licenses Aug. 31. A 1933 license is required after that date regardless of the game hunted.

In fewer words, the hunter gets skunk instead of the groundhogs.

In spite of my burning resentment my 1932 license would accompany me on a hunting safari tonight except that the Game commission hasn't distributed the new skins (license) to our town as yet.

Pottstown

LANFIELD

JOHN W. GREGORY

Baird Is Praised

To the Editor: James F. Baird, secretary of the YMCA, deserves a pat on the back for his recent letter to The Mercury offering a tenn-age center.

Many a mother will appreciate your offer Mr. Baird. I hope you will get the support from mothers and teen-agers in organizing your new movement.

I was hoping that someone would support a center in which the teen-agers can go and enjoy themselves in the winter months.

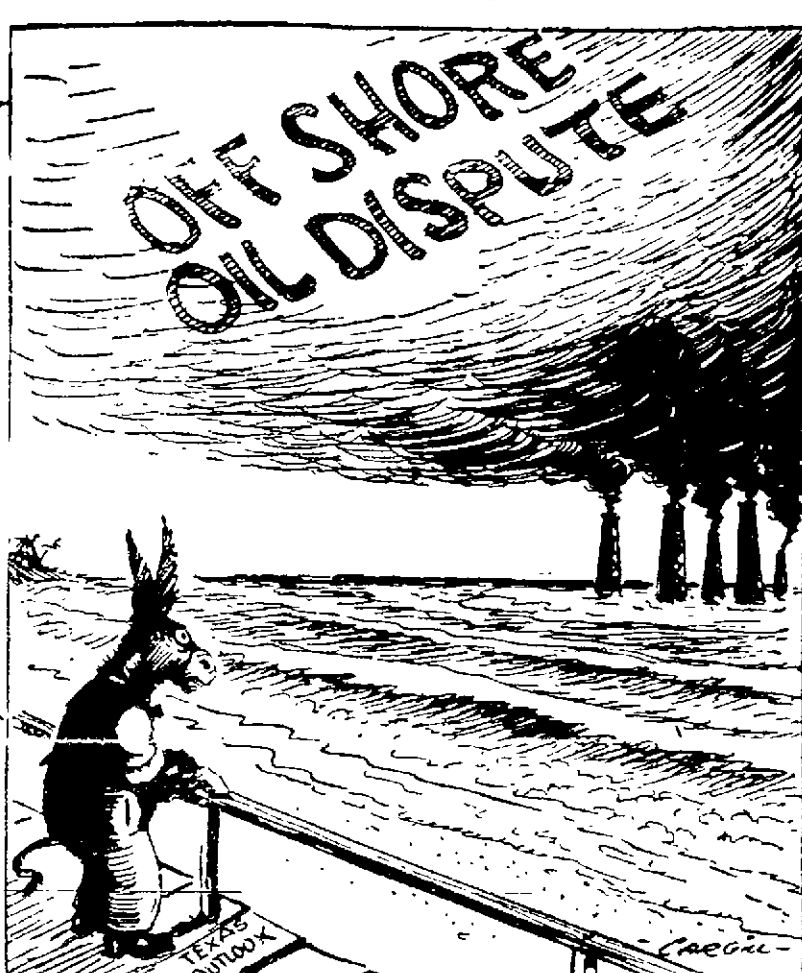
When the cold weather approaches there won't be much for the young lads and lassies to do.

I know that you and your worthy associates of the YMCA, Charles Foster will support the cause in the best manner.

Again I say, hats off to Mr. Baird in his attempt to start the center.

Pottstown A HAPPY MOTHER

FALLING BAROMETER



Hollywood

By EDITH GWYNN

HOLLYWOOD, Sept. 8.—Patricia Neal, pulling up all Hollywood stakes to live in N. Y. permanently. Wants to do a Bway show — and commute here for movies. If Pat is torching for anyone — it's not Gary Cooper! But it could be Peter Douglas. Paul Henreid returns to Fulmine to-day after months in Europe. Goes right into "The Siren of Bagdad" at Columbia. Then does his long-delayed "Suborn Wood." Paul produces and stars in that one.

Marion Davies is tossing a tremendous shindig for the Johnnie Rays, who got back here end of the month. Marion's bash will feature dining and dancing to the music of no less than three bands. It's set for Oct. 2. Two nights later, Ray (whose father-in-law, Charles Morrison owns Mocambo) opens "across the road" at Ciro's!

THOSE ADS and posters of Jane Russell in her black tights for "Son of Paleface" may "bring back the vogue for LEGS!" It would be a refreshing change! "The Planter's Wife," recently finished in England with Claudette Colbert, is now "Outpost in Malaya." The new Clifton Webb starrer, "Nearer My God to Thee," is being retitled "Titanic." There's a deal on for Mickey Rooney to make records for Capitol. Mickey waxed "Manhattan" several years ago. At this point, it's sold a million copies. Reminds us to mention Dean Martin's disc, "You Belong to Me," and Dinah Shore's platter of "To Be Loved by You" — both deevine. Wish Martin would record the oldie, "Here I'll Stay."

BRIEFS Kathryn Grayson will wear a blonde wig when she plays Grace Moore in the screen-biog of the singer's life. It starts next month. Lionel Barrymore's first novel, "Mr. Cantonwine" comes out via Little, Brown and company in October. Bing Crosby is limping. Tripped over his money-belt in the dark. Eleanor Holm is apparently out to prove that a Rose by any other name wouldn't smell any sweeter. This is all we need! Turhan Bey, back in Hollywood after years away, is rushing blonde model, Ilse Ber! Ilse, incidentally will have a featured role in "The Last Train West," a Warner epic.

We know a director who could commit suicide — just by jumping off his "elevator" shoes! Rhonda Fleming and Dr. Lew Murrell move into their new Bel-Air house next week.

How's Your Mind?

THE ANSWER, QUICK!

1. Where do terrapin abound?
2. What is columbium?
3. How old is the mouth harmonica?

FOLKS OF FAME — GUESS THE NAME



1. Born at Grass Point, N. Y., May 30, 1888, he became a book-keeper after graduating from high school. In 1918 he was port warden for Port of New York, then member of the New York State Assembly and chairman of the New York State Athletic commission. Chairman of the Democratic national committee from 1932-40, he was a close friend of President Franklin D. Roosevelt and became United States Postmaster General in 1933. Can you name him?

2. This actress and singer was born at Chester, Pa., Oct. 31, 1900. She made her first stage appearance in Baltimore, Md., about 1917. After singing in night clubs, she hit Broadway in "Africa" in 1927 and followed in such plays as "As Thousands Cheer," "Mamba's Daughters," and starred in "Cabin in the Sky." A radio and television performer, her last play was "Member of the Wedding." Who is she?

(Names at bottom of column)

IT HAPPENED TODAY

1887—William the Conqueror died. 1850—California admitted to the Union.

WATCH YOUR LANGUAGE

PIQUANT — (Pe-kant) — adjective: agreeably stimulating to the palate, sharp or biting, pungent; engagingly provocative. Origin: French—from Piquer, to sting.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Alfred M. London, Republican presidential candidate in 1936, and Frank Frisch, former baseball player and manager, are celebrating their birthdays today.

HOW'D YOU MAKE OUT?

1. In the Chesapeake bay-North Carolina region.

2. A scarce metal found in Nigeria. It can withstand intense heat and is alloyed with steel for jet engines.

3. It was invented by a German, Friedrich Buschmann, in 1821.

(Answers at bottom of column)

The Voice of Broadway

By DOROTHY KILGALLEN

(Dorothy Kilgallen is on vacation. Pinch-hitting for her today is the girl who made the saring famous, screen-star Dorothy Lamour.)

Dorothy Lamour Writes:

THERE HAVE been many men in my life, and I shudder to imagine how much less pleasant my life might have been without any one of them. No actress—however talented or beautiful she may be—can make stardom strictly on her own. Literally dozens of others play a vital role in her struggle. Frequently what they contribute — in one form or another — touches off the magic ingredient that miraculously turns failure into success. There have been so many who have had a hand in bringing me all the good fortune I now enjoy. Because my list is long, space limitations prevent it from being truly complete. To the men listed below—and to those equally important friends—I owe my deepest thanks.

When a girl gets lucky, there are always a great many people who say "I knew her when." All but a few should add, "I couldn't see her then." I never recall my early days in New York without feeling a great surge of gratitude for the few who did encourage and help me from the start. Men like Sherman Billingsley, who befriended me in the not-so-good old days. Sherman hired me to sing at the Stork, my very first job in the big city. Rudy Vallee believed in me, helped me find the right songs and get proper arrangements. John Royal of NBC gave me my first

radio assignment, which played an important part in eventually taking me to the west coast.

LIKE ALL WOMEN, I sometimes want to spend more money than I really should. I can always think of a dozen things I actually don't need but feel I simply can't do without. That is where Myrt Blum, my business manager, takes his cue. Where Myrt is concerned, I've learned it pays to take "No" for an answer. Thanks to him, I never have to worry about my finances.

Harry Ray of Paramount is an indispensable man in my life. For more years than I care to reveal, Harry, make-up expert extraordinary, has helped me put my Best Face Forward. There were those miserable mornings when I came in looking as unglamorous as only a girl with a horrible head-cold can look. What Harry achieved with lipstick, powder, brushes and paint convinced me that great art isn't always put down on canvas. I've always felt a major part of any so-called Lamour allure is made up of make-up by Ray.

In addition to his professional importance to me, Harry is a close and cherished friend. When my son, Ridgely, suffered encephalitis last year, it was Harry who gave his blood for an urgently needed transfusion.

NO CAREER is always smooth sailing. Suddenly, sickeningly, you find you've hit a bad slump. Everything goes wrong. You become confused, uncertain, bewildered by the present, pessimistic about the future. I know, because it happened to me. That was when Abe Lastfogel became an important man in my life. The brilliant head of the William Morris Agency punctured my pessimism and hyped my career. Abe's strong faith, sound snow-manship and tireless interest turned the tide for me professionally, and brought me peace of mind personally.

The Worry Clinic

By DR. GEORGE W. CRANE

LOUISE J., 26, has been married two years.

"Dr. Crane, while my husband was in Washington, D.C. on business for several months, I began going out with friends," she began remorsefully.

"First I went with girls, then with girls and fellows, and finally with men alone."

"I really didn't mean any harm, but I was lonely. One of the men appealed to me a great deal and we had a lot of fun together."

"He was deeply in love with me and I began to fall in love with him, although I was still fond of my husband."

"Finally, this man took advantage of me. I resisted and fought against it as much as possible every time, of course, but he always got his way because he was indeed much stronger than I."

I never thought it right to have intimate relations with any man but one's husband, which is why I always resisted.

"Now my husband has returned and I love him devotedly. I can't help but think of what I have done, though, and I cry many times because of it."

"Dr. Crane, will I ever be forgiven? I feel so guilty, for my husband trusts me implicitly. But the other man keeps calling up and telling me he can't forget me."

"We promised never to do anything to break up each other's home, for he is also married. I realize now I should never have gone with him in the first place. It will never happen again."

"I've prayed that I be forgiven and have promised myself as long as I live, I will never do such a thing a second time."

ANYBODY FROM the farm knows that a bull or stallion cannot mate with its respective female unless the latter is willing.

By the same token, no conscious woman can be raped unless she acquiesces either from fear or desire regardless of the size and strength of her assailant.

If a man drugs a woman or knocks her unconscious, as by a blow on the jaw, then he can assault her.

If he threatens her with a gun or a knife and thus coerces her fear into submission, then he can attack her.

But most women are not assaulted under such circumstances. They simply grow panicky or put up a limited resistance and then feel it is hopeless, so they finally submit.

Such submission is unnecessary, however, for they can prevent any man from attaining his unlawful goal, if they keep talking and keep moving.

Louise was simply attracted to this other man. Consciously she put up some resistance to save her conscience, but soon desisted from there because she was fundamentally charmed by him.

In Retrospect

50 Years Ago

September 9, 1902

FREAK FOWL—Mrs. Rebecca Malsberger, 243 Beech street, owns a three-legged chicken and the third foot has seven toes. The freak fowl is a live, robust hen and its extra leg makes it a wonderful garden scratcher.

INJURED — Ex-Councilman Milton Y. Sionaker, 224 North Charlotte street, was seriously injured when he was dragged by his runaway two-horse team near Pine Forge. He had bought a load of apples at the John R. Mowday farm, Pine Iron Works, and the horses ran away on a steep hill.

25 Years Ago

September 9, 1927

DROPS DEAD — Franklin Y. Levenzo, 49, Civil War veteran and charter member of the Good Will Fire company, dropped dead from a heart attack in the garden of his home, 40 Chestnut street. He was a fireman in Pottstown before the Civil War and helped pull fire apparatus with ropes.

GOVERNOR HERE — Gov. John S. Fisher inspected the Pottstown and Homeopathic hospitals here and he praised the fine work they are giving this community.

NUPTIAL EVENT — Lila Frances O'Brien, daughter of Mrs. Charles R. Potts, 38 South Hanover street, was married to Calvin Gilbert Reen, of Gettysburg, by Rev. Arthur S. Simpson, pastor of the First Presbyterian church.

10 Years Ago

September 9, 1942

BAPTISTS WIN — The First Baptist team of Manager Bobby Guy won the Sunday School League championship by defeating St. James Lutheran, 6-5. Jimmy Egolf pitched for the winners while Stauffer twirled for St. James. Bobby Shantz played center field for the losers. He had a hit, a run and an out.

NEW COACH — Leroy Bachman succeeds Jack Tinkler as coach of the Junior High school varsity football team. Spencer Lessig is assistant coach. Bill McCabe is coach of the Junior High basketball team and he is also an assistant to Earl Stranex, Senior High varsity football team mentor.

NEW AIRPORT — Smiling Jack's Airport located at Douglassville has been opened and 11 airplanes are using it. There are also the Pottstown Airport at Limerick and the New Hanover airport located near Layfield.

ALL AROUND THE TOWN

Wins Sweepstakes!...

Going to Philly?...

★ LUCKY GUY—Johnny Katch, handsome, young Doehlerite who made the catch of the year when he abandoned bachelor ranks a few weeks ago, came through with another lucky break yesterday. Katch won the sweepstakes! By letter from Kingston, Jamaica, where Katch and his bride honeymooned, came the word that a sweepstakes ticket the pair purchased was a winner! Katch bought the ticket for five shillings, which is about 70 cents in American money, as sort of a joke. He continued the kidding by signing his name "Red Head," but that was in honor of his auburn-haired bride. . . .

THEN HE attached his right name, just in case. But he promptly forgot all about the wager. To and behold! Yesterday the mailman delivered a communication to the Katch Innkeeper at 333 Hale street. It said: "We are pleased to advise you that your ticket signed 'Red Head' won in the Jamaica derby!" Then the letter went on to say the race was run August 30 in the British West Indies capital. Finally the letter announced the amount of the winnings. It was 5 pounds, 1 shilling and 8 pence. To you chum, that's about \$14.60—and so Katch got another laugh! . . .

★ SCUTTLEBUTT—What's the report out about Harry Boyle, the Dutch Grill proprietor, buying a fizzle spot in Philadelphia? . . . Marjorie Gibson, former Pottstown public school teacher, is now a Salvation Army cadet studying in New York. She is enrolled at the Eastern Territorial Officers Training college in the Bronx, N. Y. . . . The Rev. Laurence Beers, pastor of the First Baptist church, has become a columnist! The Pottstown pastor is writing "To the Adult Class," an exposition on Sunday school lessons in a church publication, "The Baptist Leader." It has a circulation of 53,000. The Rev. Beers comes by his writing ability naturally. His father is a hooty operator in a Binghamton, N. Y., paper's composing room. . . .

WINDOWS HURRICANE PROOF — Window manufacturers in Florida are stamping their products "Hurricane Approved" for the first time after they pass new tests that take water infiltration into account. The tests assure windows that allow only harmless quantities of water to enter when struck by 100-mile winds and torrential rains. . . . GIVE AWAY DEPT.—White enamel Kolater refrigerator, will hold 100 pounds of ice. Eva Clary, Pleasantville road, Sanatoga, phone 4311-W. . . . Female bird dog and police mixed, four months old, also male spitz and police mixed, two years old. George Lasky, 555 Howard street, Stowe, phone 278-M. . . .

★ TWO AT A TIME—Pottstown area young men seem to be doing a good job of sticking together in the service. James E. Miller, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Miller, Limerick, and Raymond W. Lauer Jr., husband of Kathryn Lauer, 717 North Charlotte street, both recently completed recruit training with the Marine corps at Parris Island, S. C. Both were promoted to private first class, both received silver badges as marksmen with the M-1 rifle. . . . A Pottstown area pair aboard the destroyer USS Furse are Robert L. Kerr, fireman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Kerr, 453 Chestnut street, and William E. Realer Jr., sonar seaman, son of Mr. and Mrs. William E. Realer, Apt. 17-C, Road C, Hildale. Their destroyer recently won the Atlantic Fleet's efficiency plaque. . . .

★ DID YOU know that the atomic age has given us a new treatment for one of the few diseases in which doctors still use bloodletting? This is a blood disease called polycythemia vera, in which radioactive phosphorus has proved of great help.

Atomic science has also given us a seemingly endless supply of other radioactive substances, and we are using them to good advantage against disease. Everyone has heard of the wonderful work being done with radioactive iodine in severe thyroid disease.

The element phosphorus in its radioactive form is also bringing new and wonderful hope to those suffering from chronic leukemia. This is a disease in which the white blood cells multiply dangerously, and the red blood cells decrease.

The radioactive phosphorus works on the bone marrow, preventing the excessive growth of red cells. It has prolonged the lives of people suffering from this disease by many months and years.

Phosphorus is also being used in tracing down cancer of different tissues, especially the brain and the male and female reproductive organs. It has made brain surgery much easier and more efficient by making it easier to locate brain tumors.

The main use of phosphorus, however, has been in polycythemia vera. In this condition an excessive number of red blood cells are formed in the body. The red blood count may go up to six, seven, or even ten million, while four to five million is normal. This forces the heart to perform more work, and makes it easier prey to heart failure.

People with this disease have a greater tendency to strokes. They also tend to develop severe infections, since the white cells of the blood cannot fight infection as they normally should. The great oversupply of red cells impedes the regular function of these white "fighter cells."

Patients with polycythemia vera can now be safely treated with radioactive phosphorus, given by mouth. The substance is taken after the person has fasted for six hours. This treatment is more comfortable than the other methods used, and seems to be more effective.

Pottstown Sketches



"So you're Theodore! What can you do other than the Windsor knot?"

Pottstown Portraits

A Quick Look at Your Neighbor

By IRV ROLLMAN

SCHOOLS may change and the methods of teaching may change, but the students tend to remain the same.

This is the observation of Miss Miriam V. Ludwig, 1015 Spruce street, who has been teaching in the Pottstown Senior High school for the past 24 years.

"In my 24 years of teaching, children haven't changed so much. I wouldn't say they are any worse today than 20 years ago. They may, however, be less studious. But that is the result of so many more distractions today."

Miss Ludwig is fighting a battle with progress, when she makes this observation. The distractions run from the TV set in the living room at home to the juke box at the milk bar and the family car for dates.

But Miss Ludwig does not feel it is a losing battle. She says students are a good lot and she feels they, as individuals, are much more reasonable today and more open to suggestion than students were in the past.

Miss Ludwig was born in Boyertown and attended school there for four years, until, upon the death of her father, the family moved to Pottstown. She finished grade school in Pottstown and was graduated from the senior high school in 1924. Following high school, Miss Ludwig attended Ursinus college for four years, where she majored in English and history.

In the Fall of 1928, Miss Ludwig took a job teaching in the Emmaus Senior High school. In her one year there, Miss Ludwig had a full schedule. So full, in fact that in the nine school months she was there, she visited Allentown only three times. While there, Miss Ludwig was both the history and the French departments of the high school. She taught world history, American history, Problems of American Democracy, and the first and second year of French.

"I don't know how I did it," she says. "It must be that I was very enthusiastic at the time or else I was very young."

The following year, Miss Ludwig returned to Pottstown and began teaching history at the borough high school. She had been working for her permanent certification as a teacher at the same time.

In 1931, after three years of study during the summers and through one winter session of night school, Miss Ludwig was awarded permanent status and state certification. She attended the University of Pennsylvania and the university's extension in Reading.

Miss Ludwig likes to travel on her vacations. She has traveled from Quebec, Canada, to Key West, Fla., in this hemisphere and she has traveled abroad.

In 1933, Miss Ludwig spent about six weeks traveling in Europe. On the trip, she visited eight countries, France, Switzerland, Italy, Austria, Hungary, Czechoslovakia, Germany and Holland. It was the same year Hitler came into power.

Though she says she is not much of a joiner, Miss Ludwig is a member of quite a few organizations and has held office in several.

She is a charter member of the Perkiomen Branch of the American Association of University Women. Five years ago she was secretary of that association. From 1949 to 1951, a period of two terms, Miss Ludwig was president of the Pottstown Teachers association. Miss Ludwig has been secretary of the Education Coordinating Council of Montgomery county since 1950. Her term expired the past June.

In addition to serving on various committees, working on Red Cross and Community Chest drives, Miss Ludwig has taught Sunday school and played the piano in church at St. John's Reformed.

JOHN J. YONKOVITCH SR., Cedarville road, North Coventry, is a man who goes about with his helping hand outstretched. During his 33 years, he has devoted a considerable amount of time to giving people help when they needed it.

An unselfish man, with a broad, friendly smile, Yonkovitch is the kind of man who makes things go. When the Norco Fire company held a festival the past Summer, they appointed Yonkovitch chairman of the affair, because they wanted the festival to be something big. Yonkovitch made it big.

Yonkovitch has helped a lot of people. He likes to help them. During his four years as a clerk in the Montgomery county Recorder of Deeds office in Norristown, Yonkovitch helped about 275 persons who had only just come to this country to become naturalized American citizens.

"I like to work with people," Yonkovitch says. "In fact, I've spent the better part of my life working with people and for them."

Yonkovitch is a native of Pottstown. He was born here June 16, 1889. He attended schools here until he was 14 years old, then, being the oldest child, went to work to help support the family.

It was in 1913 that he took a job sorting castings at the Stanley G. Flagg company for \$1.95 a week. He remained there about six months and then took a job feeding a nail machine at the Ellis-Lessig Nail company.

Two years later, Yonkovitch went to work as a riveter at the old McClintic-Marshall company, on the site now occupied by Bethlehem Steel company. Yonkovitch remained there three years until in 1921, he became a waiter at the Keiser restaurant. Those were the days, Yonkovitch recalls, when a man could buy a full meal, desert and all, for only 35 cents.

After working as a waiter for two years, Yonkovitch married the former Pauline Bednar, of Pottstown Landing, Oct. 20, 1923. The following year he was appointed clerk in the Recorder of Deeds office. During the four years he held the position, Yonkovitch lived in Pottstown and commuted to the county seat.

In 1928 Yonkovitch went into the contracting business. He and a partner opened the building business, but broke up about a year later. Yonkovitch then opened a grocery store at Cherry and Evans streets. He stayed 20 years in that location. He would probably have remained there longer, but in 1948 he suffered a heart attack and moved to North Coventry for his health. He built his present home and moved into it in 1949.

Yonkovitch has always been an active church man. He is a member of the Holy Trinity Catholic church and he takes an active part in the church's social events.

Yonkovitch is a member of the Holy Trinity Roman Catholic club and served as president of the St. Michael Beneficial society, Branch 527 of the First Catholic Slovak Union.

He is an active member of the Knights of Columbus and is a fourth degree member of the Archbishop Ryan general assembly of the KC as well as a member of the Father Bally council.

The past month Yonkovitch attended the 31st national convention of the First Catholic Slovak Union in New York city as a delegate from the local district. One year ago he attended the KC convention in Canada.

Besides his church work, Yonkovitch has found time to give a hand to the Norco Fire company in its drive for funds to build a new fire house in that community. With Co-Chairman Carl Roegner, Yonkovitch has gotten rolling the drive for \$30,000, the past month.

Although he never has aspired to public office, Yonkovitch has taken an active part in politics. He is chairman of the Republican Slovak division in Eastern Pennsylvania, and during the 1950 general elections, he campaigned for Alf Landon.

Although he likes deep sea fishing and fishing in the local streams, Yonkovitch has taken up another form of relaxation—raising chickens. He began raising them the past year, starting with 22 chickens. Today he has 75.



Miriam V. Ludwig

SEWER SERVICE —

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answered quickly. "Even the water will not go down our drain. It drips in and then we have to get it out with a plunger but the odor still comes up through the drain."

Mrs. Scannelly said most of the family's sewage refuse was taken to a farm of a friend outside of the borough to be dumped and that water used in washing clothes and dishes had to be dumped in the alley beside the house.

The board members looked over the deed to the house. They said that Scannelly had the right to run his sewage through the line going through Zeigler's house.

Dr. Ralph Merkel, board member, asked, "Did you see a lawyer about this?"

"We did," Scannelly answered. "But you need money for lawyers and we don't have the money to pay."

Harry W. Wilson informed the board members that Scannelly bought the property on the condition that he be allowed to run his sewer line through the front of the house and that when Zeigler purchased his property he had the same condition included in his deed.

DR. MERKEL asked Benjamin C. Steele, health officer, why Zeigler did not show up at the meeting. Steele told him that Zeigler had an important engagement and would try to make the meeting.

Jack K. Eckstrom, board member, said, "This is definitely a health problem and something should be done about it."

Dr. Jack R. Wennersten, president of the board, added, "That's true, but I don't see why the man has to go to court if he has the legal right to run the sewer through the front property."

Dr. Merkel angrily said, "Zeigler should be here. There are two sides to every question and if he feels he is right he should be here to tell us."

"He may have had a reason for cutting off the sewer, but no reason is good enough for continuing such an action for a year," Dr. Wennersten said.

"I've decided there are not two sides to every question," Dr. Merkel exploded. "This is definitely a health menace and it should be fixed. I make a motion, we consult the borough solicitor (Edmund C. Wells) and see what can be done about it."

The motion was seconded by Eckstrom.

PETERMAN ASKED, "Has Wells seen the deed yet?" Steele said, "He knows about the case but I don't think he has seen the deed."

The board members agreed unanimously that the deed should be given to Wells to examine and to make a recommendation.

Steele, giving his report for August, stated there were two cases of communicable disease in the borough for the month—one case of mumps and one case of whooping cough.

He said two eating and drinking places were inspected and issued licenses and 18 others spotted.

Nine health cards were issued in August. Eleven complaints to the board of health were investigated and orders for correction were issued to the offenders.

Peterman told the health board there were numerous complaints received about the unsanitary condition of the comfort stations at borough hall. Steele said he would look into the matter today.

SCHOOL BUSES —

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the children, with the parents paying for it.

Carl M. Binder, who made this victorious motion, went a step further after the 21 parents had left, most of them obviously dissatisfied.

In an informal discussion, Binder told the other directors that if no parents-pay plan could be worked out to the satisfaction of the parents, he would have no strong objection to reconsidering the question of having the district pay for the buses.

This compromise suggestion met with no opposition.

THE PARENTS brought with them a petition signed by about 63 residents of the Hillcrest section, which is along North Keim street near the northern borough line.

The parents said their children should have school buses provided because the children had to walk one and two-tenths miles to Rupert school along busy Keim street.

Republican school directors replied that the issue was primarily one of money. The board could not afford to pay for such transportation and still meet the growing demand for more buildings, teachers and equipment, they declared.

If, they said, the parents felt bus transportation was a "must," the parents should pay for the buses themselves, as they did two years ago when their children went to Rupert. The past year, the children went to Franklin school. Because there is no side-walked route to Franklin, the board paid for buses then.

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Spicer Plant to Close

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the time, no attempt was made to get pieces produced.

The vice president in charge of manufacturing said that after the survey, management asked Spicer Local 644, United Auto Workers (CIO), to go over the results, but that union leaders declined.

Six months later, he declared management went to the foremen and executives to try to solve the production problem, but that this group alone was unable to increase plant efficiency.

"OUR ONLY alternative was to prepare to supply our products from some area where costs were maintained on a competitive level," Haynes added.

He emphasized that the question of wages was not involved in the decision to shut down the plant.

"This is not a matter of wages," he declared. "This is purely a matter of productive effort."

Haynes said in an effort to raise plant efficiency, the company spent more than \$5,000,000 in the past few years to improve machinery.

Finally, he stated that the Dana corporation received "50 to 70 percent more production" in its other plants.

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Charles A. Dana was the businessman who put Spicer's idea on a production basis.

The plant began with 200 workers, between one-ninth and one-tenth of its present personnel.

During World War II, Spicer's was one of the few plants in the Pottstown area devoted entirely to war production.

But on Aug. 14, 1945, when Japan surrendered and the war came to an end, 1400 workers were laid off because of the cancellation of Government contracts.

AS THE first veterans began coming home and applying for their old jobs, the Spicer plant ran into difficulties.

On Aug. 20, 1945, a protest was made against hiring World War II veterans with low seniority over men with long years of experience who had been laid off.

As a result, the union ordered a strike.

The company maintained it was merely following the regulations of the U. S. Selective Service act, in giving the 14 veterans their old jobs back.

Local 644, on the other hand, said the procedure was a direct violation of the union-management contract.

The union charged that the company was giving the veterans "super-seniority," something they said gave a veteran with perhaps only a few weeks pre-war experience more seniority than a man who had

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H. Bert Shaw, board president, said that racing on Beech street was a problem for the borough not the school board.

Mrs. Earl M. Moyer, 660 North Price street, "In that end of town, no ordinance is carried out." To this there were loud murmurs of agreement.

MRS. RONALD NEIMAN, 958 South Hills boulevard, said that car pools suggested by the board would not be practicable, particularly in bad winter weather.

Binder: "I sympathize. I carried my own kid home for 3 years. But we have no legal obligation to provide transportation."

The discussion wandered onto the question of whether the borough would provide police women to patrol intersections for school children. Earl R. Strange, school safety director, made this recommendation. Shaw said the board expected to endorse it.

Albert Carolla, 967 South Hills boulevard, citing estimates that the policemen would be paid \$4 a day for part-time work and that two would be needed for Hillcrest children, said it would be much better if the board spent the \$8 to hire a bus.

BINDER, SHAW, Charles L. Rohland and William H. Yohn joined in this united argument: that if the board made an exception for Hillcrest children, other groups of parents would demand the same thing.

They explained that the district paid for Penn Village school buses because children went from there

NEW CIO HOME —

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He said this is exactly the same group which previously held a liquor license at the Pottstown Independent club. The independent club, he pointed out, was an incorporated non-profit organization. The joint property committee is an unincorporated association for non-profit purposes.

Sager argued the property is located in an R3 zone, bounded on the east by commercial enterprises. On the west, beginning at Keim street, there are commercial establishments.

HE ADDED between Keim street and Rosedale drive there are a tourist home, an antique shop, a furrier, Memorial hospital, a cemetery, and on the corner of High and Keim streets, a grocery store.

The attorney commended the union for its excellent standing during the recent steel strike.

Barnard said the zoning board of adjustment made its decision on the premise the CIO is a club. He contended the organization is not a club.

The Norristown attorney said the zoning board of adjustment was most emphatic in considering the CIO a club but then forbade the organization to undergo any club activities.

This past Dec. 15 the zoning board of adjustment reviewed the case before a hearing room crowded with protesting residents and union supporters.

AT THAT session Barnard said if the zoning board allowed the request it would allow an "entering wedge" that would destroy the residential nature of the neighborhood.

Wells told the board of adjustment they had the legal right to grant the exception at their closed meeting on Dec. 27.

The board promptly voted for the special exception.

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South Coventry Man Is Principal Speaker At Democrat Meeting

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A South Coventry man was the principal speaker at the reorganization meeting of the Young Democrats of Chester county, held in West Chester last night.

Harry Symons, South Coventry school director and instructor in economics at Ursinus college, attacked the new system of tax assessments in Chester county and called for the organization of a "non-political" board to assist local assessors.

He also charged the State Government with negligence in failing to reimburse farmers for damages to their property during construction of the Pennsylvania turnpike.

The meeting was described as the opening salvo in the Democratic campaign in Chester county. About 75 attended the gathering, which got under way at 8 p. m.

Oliver G. Smiley, Valley Deal, Kimberton, was made secretary of the group, which plans to meet monthly. No picnic is being held this year because of the campaign.

The regular Democratic organization also will have a reorganization meeting. It is scheduled for Thursday at 6:30 p. m.

has been building up for some time.

"We're faced with the situation that Mr. Geiss will have to come down here and take over our schools because we won't have any leaders. We have two leaders, one in each school and they should be backed, come hell or high water."

He referred to Mrs. Reinbauer and Moyer. Mrs. Reinbauer has threatened to decline the permanent principalship of the Colebrookdale school offered her because of present conditions existing among the faculty.

She implied the past Tuesday night that Mrs. Trethewey was responsible for the "conditions."

MRS. ANNE BRADY, Colebrookdale Manor, a candidate for the State Legislature, started a heated discussion when she demanded to know why Geiss had not been present at the past Summer's hearing on cruelty charges against Mrs. Trethewey.

Geiss replied that he had not been invited, that the policy approved by the State Department of Public Instruction concerning such hearings is for the superintendent to attend them only if invited.

DUSCO then stated that Romich had requested Geiss in the presence of Sites to attend the cruelty hearing. Sites said that Romich had done so.

Geiss evoked a chuckle from the spectators when he replied that the invitation "was not in writing," that it should be to be official.

Body asked Mrs. Brady why she thought Geiss should have been at the hearing. She replied heatedly:

"Because maybe the board would have listened to Mr. Geiss. This is the fourth time she's been brought before them on one charge or another—And why is it that we always have to have police outside guarding teachers?"

BODY STATED that the superintendent could not have attended the hearing if Mrs. Trethewey had objected.

Hoffman interjected that, "If Mrs. Brady objects to the law she should go to Harrisburg to change it as she is trying to do."

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Two-Hour Debate Enlivens Talk By Solicitor of County

Thodore Rogers, solicitor for old law at \$100 and \$3100 respectively, Chester county commissioners, and then, under the new law, had been reassessed at \$3500 in a heated two-hour debate on and \$5150. Claiming that an "high tax assessments" following partial real estate agent had evaded his short speech before 300 persons at both properties, he was advised by Mr. Rogers to appeal his case to the County commissioners.

The meeting was sponsored by the East Vincent Voters league and the West Vincent Taxpayers league to protest the new State assessment program.

Rogers, speaking in the absence of Weldon Ring, chief county assessor, originally scheduled to address the joint group, first outlined provisions of the statute which establishes a new system for assessments in 4th to 8th class counties.

He said the law was passed out of a need for equalizing assessments between political subdivisions because of present inequities. Citing one example, he explained that whereas under the former system one township might be assessed at 18% of market value and another assessed at 70%, under the new provision both receive an identical 47% rate.

DURING THE acrimonious debate period that followed his remarks, many in the audience protested that the new law had not resulted in equitable assessments as planned.

One speaker charged that two houses, both built from the same plan and in the same year, had originally been assessed under the

Controls or Not?

Rent controls or no rent controls? This was the question before the Royersford borough council last night at its monthly meeting. The answer, however, was not forthcoming.

After an exhaustive study of the question, with a group of local property owners lending advice and encouragement, the council decided to meet again next Monday night for further discussion.

They have until Sept. 10 to make a decision. At that time, present controls expire.

Before reaching their decision, councilmen and guests discussed the matter more than an hour.

COUNCILMAN Evan Kline, in favor of extending controls, had a resolution prepared which he sought to have brought to a vote, but it was decided to obtain more facts and statistics before voting on the matter.

Kline said that according to figures he got from housing authorities, there are 628 registered housing accommodations in the borough. "If we don't act," he said, "we will inflict a hardship on upwards of 600 families. Our job is to do the best for the majority."

Property owners who took a leading part in the discussion were William Jacobs, William Mowrey, Lester Horning and John Fleming.

The consensus of property owners present was that rent controls are not needed and in fact would retard the growth of Royersford.

They contended that a majority of families have received large increases in salary, while the property owners have failed to increase rentals proportionately, while costs have risen sharply.

Kline retorted that some apartments here rent for from \$65 to \$70 per month, an exorbitant figure in his estimation.

Opponents of controls stressed they only wanted a fair return on their investment and do not wish to be thought of as "gougers." They claimed apartments which are renting for exorbitant prices are in a minority.

Councilman Leon Godshalk, in urging a delay in voting on the matter, suggested council find out the percentage of apartment owners who established their rents years ago and those who have since converted and are not affected by rent controls.

Efforts also will be made to ascertain how many families rent their housing units before council meets Monday to decide definitely on the question.

COUNCIL ALSO considered a complaint registered by Paul Godshalk, of the 400 block of Church street, acting as spokesman for a group wanting to know the source of soot which blows over their homes and which they claim dirties wash and enters through screens of open windows. Godshalk showed in a paper bag some of the soot he had gathered the past Aug. 27. Harry Adams and Donald Long, also of Church street, substantiated Godshalk's complaint.

Godshalk said he had inquired of Cann and Saul Steel company if the soot came from the company's smoke stack, but officials claimed it did not. Godshalk said the soot did not come from the railroad. "So it must have come here from Pittsburgh."

On motion of Councilman Roy Koch, council instructed the secretary to write Cann and Saul Steel company, inquiring about the matter in an effort to determine the source of the soot.

Report of the borough treasurer, O. H. Moyer, listed a balance of \$47,542.81 in the general fund. Balance outstanding in the old sewer rental account was reported as \$261.79, and in the new sewer account, \$699.90.

Report of Tax Collector Daniel J. Mowrey listed a balance outstanding of \$5021.41.

Robert Mauger appeared before council to request an established grade on Spruce street at Seventh avenue. Benjamin Fry, secretary, was instructed to notify the borough

SALLY'S SALLIES



"He's going a long way in the service, Pa. He says Napoleon said an army travels on its stomach."

Spring City Sailors Return After Leave

Two Spring City navymen have returned to their base, Key West, Fla., after having been home on leaves.

LaVern Maule, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Jacob Maule Sr., Bridge street and Schyllkill road, was home 16 days. Lloyd Gracey Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Gracey, 72 Central avenue, was home 20.

Both are attached to the U. S. S. Gilmore, a submarine tender. In Florida they met Clifford Schnell and Walter Woyton, Royersford sailors, and visited Mr. and Mrs. Jay Barclay at their home.

THUMB HURT IN GAME George Cook, 27, of 515 Arch street, Spring City, cut his right thumb playing ball with a Phoenixville club Sunday. He received treatment in Phoenixville hospital dispensary.

Schacht Leaves for Iran To Give Financial Advice

HAMBURG, Germany, Sept. 8 (AP)—German financial wizard Hjalmar Schacht left by plane for Tehran tonight to try to solve the Iranian economic crisis caused by nationalization of the oil industry.

Schacht went at the invitation of Premier Mohammed Mossadegh, head of the financially hard-pressed Iranian government.

engineer, William Muldrew, to give Mauger the grade.

Report was made to council that a new concrete sidewalk being installed at a property at Fourth avenue and Walnut street does not conform to the existing ordinance covering sidewalk repairs. There will be an investigation.

The borough secretary read specifications for converting the borough hall coal-burning heater to oil burning. Council agreed to seek bids on an oil burner installation.

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The guests included: Tera Childress, Carol Wood, Elsa Kennedy, Karen Nyce, Nancy Kreibel, Margaret Parker, Dorothy Ramsey, Gloria Rothenberger, Wilma Richards, Edgar Nace, Emmett Medina, Jack Heffelfinger, Bob Holmes, James McCormick, James Platts, Kenneth Baker and Milton Landis. Mr. and Mrs. Willard Kinnetop and family, Level road, entertained with a picnic supper on the lawn leave Sunday for State college

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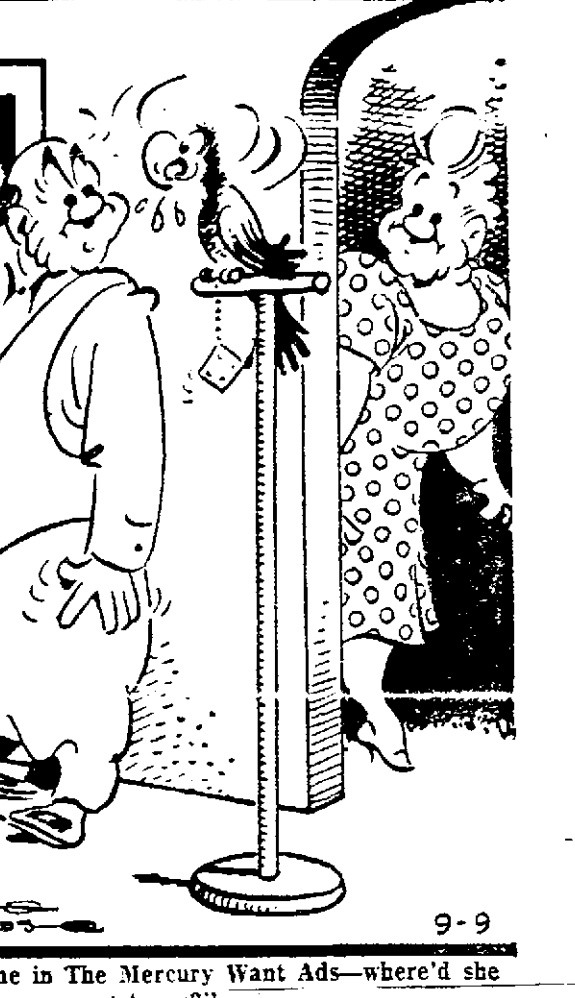
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Twin-Boro Classified

Deaths 1
ECKERT—In Spring City, on Sunday, Sept. 7, 1962, Elwood Eckert, husband of Ethel Kathryn Eckert, aged 62 years. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral without further notice from the Nelson Funeral Home, 311 New St., Spring City, on Thursday at 2 p. m. Interment Zion's cemetery. Friends may call at the funeral home Wednesday evening 7-9.

Card of Thanks 2
We wish to thank all the neighbors, friends and relatives for their cards, flowers and gifts, and many acts of kindness during mother's illness, both at home and in the hospital. It was deeply appreciated. The Major Family.

EISENBERG
The family of the late Dr. J. Linwood Eisenberg desires to thank the kind neighbors and friends for the assistance and sympathy, floral tributes and use of cars offered during their recent bereavement.

Monuments—Cemetery Lots 6
Enterprise Marble & Granite Wks. Monuments, headstones, cemetery work. A. Gravitane, 7th & Walnut, Rtd. Ph. 616.

Notice 7-4
Person who took sweet corn from my field yesterday at 10 a. m. is known. Unless corn is paid for within 24 hours, will be prosecuted. John Galle.

Social Events 8
Public mimeographing and stenography. Delma M. Evans, Boro Hall, 3d and Main, Royersford Phone 1175.

Painting and Paperhanging, estimator given 5 Roy Keen 359 Bridge street Spring City Phone Royersford 798.

Post Hole Digging, Grading, Excavating, Trenching, Footings, SIMON The Plowman, Ph. Royersford 452-W.

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FEMALE HELP
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E-CUT KNITTING MILLS INC.
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Able to Fire High Pressure Boiler. Apply
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Royersford

Articles for Sale 46
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FOR SALE—Two occasional chairs, reasonable. Phone Royersford 564-R. After 3 p. m.

DEATHS-FUNERALS

Services for DR. J. LINWOOD EISENBERG, SHIPPENSBURG, formerly of ROYERSFORD, were conducted in the Brethren church, Royersford, Saturday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock by the Rev. Glenn Kinsel, Brethren pastor of Shippenburg.

The Rev. Earl C. Carver, pastor of Royersford Methodist church, assisted. Interment was made in Fernwood cemetery. Bearers were Clarence Thompson, Addison Raiser, Edward Kaltenbach, Ray and Claire Latshaw, Royersford, and a Mr. Myers, Shippensburg.

GEORGE E. JOHNSON, 81 SAFETY HARBOR, FLA., died Saturday at his home. Mr. Johnson was the husband of Mrs. Helen McQuillan Johnson, formerly of Royersford and Spring City.

Services and interment will be at Safety Harbor.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bach, Royersford, in Phoenixville hospital yesterday.

Mrs. Robert Fry, Spring City, was admitted to the hospital.

Mrs. James Stem, Royersford, and Mrs. Gordon Orner and daughter, Spring City, were discharged.

Ella Keffer, 81, of 517 New street, Spring City, wife of W. Ambrose Keffer, fell in her kitchen at home last night while getting supper, breaking her left hip. She was admitted to Memorial hospital at 7 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bean, Lansdale, visited their cousin, Laura B. Johnson, Royersford RD 1, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Oehlert and family and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Oehlert, Royersford RD 1, spent Sunday at Hershey.

Mr. and Mrs. David Landes have returned from their wedding trip. They visited the bride's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Kulp, Royersford RD 1, Sunday. They are residing on Sheep Hill, Pottstown RD.

Mr. and Mrs. George Frederick, Chicago, Ill., have returned home after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harry W. Frederick, 403 South Fourth avenue, Royersford.

Mrs. Elmer Hilborn and family recently visited her father, John Reinford, Zieglerville.

Animal husbandmen advise against breeding heifers until they weigh at least 700 pounds.

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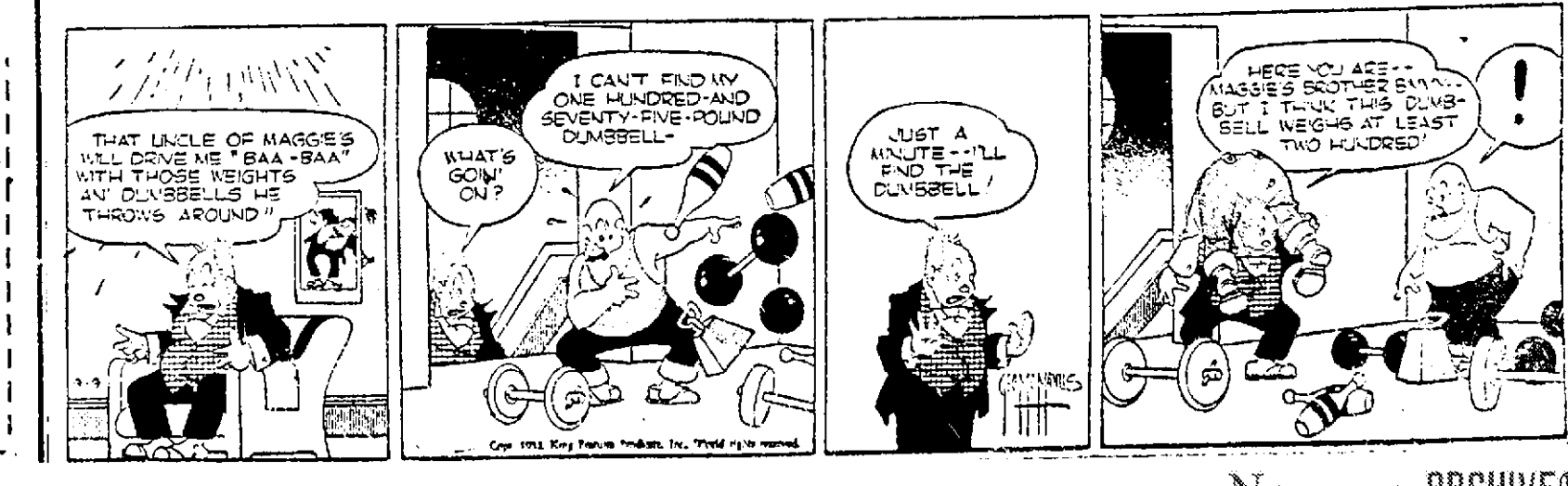
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Soroptimist Club Stages First Meeting of Season

Committees were named last night in the first Fall meeting of the Soroptimist Club of Pottstown held at the Clover Leaf restaurant.

Delegates were named to the Fall conference of the North Atlantic region of Soroptimist clubs to be held at the Claridge hotel, Atlantic city, Nov. 1 and 2.

Delegates are: Miss Kathryn L. Yerger, president. Mrs. Florence Manthorne, and alternates, Mrs. Lillian Bennett, Mrs. Ann Wagonhurst, and Mrs. Helen Reilly.

YOUR BIRTHDAY ANNIVERSARIES

TODAY'S HOROSCOPE

INVITE relatives to dinner. You are in a position to help them with your money. Any rumors should be disregarded. A child born today will be unusually perceptive, ambitious, methodical.

Mary Delaplaine, 1105 Grove street.

Paul Reinford Jr., Morris street.

Fay Gauger, 318 Rosedale drive.

Carl Swavely, 242 Henry street.

Lester Wentzel, 756 Spruce street.

Betty Beekley, 62 South Hanover street.

Harry Dersh, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Dersh, Pottstown RD 3.

Charles Daniels, son of Mrs. Anna Daniels, 376 Beech street.

Jean Fisher, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fisher, 357 Lincoln avenue.

Paul Kovach, 371 New street.

Louise Epps, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Epps, Linfield, 16 years.

Shirley Maurer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Kolock, 58 West Eighth street, 16 years.

Earl Rodgers, son of Mrs. Liola Rodgers, 743 Beech street, 18 years.

Robert Oliver, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harding Oliver, Hildale.

Robert Cisik, son of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Cisik, Pottstown RD 1.

John Onufryk Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. John Onufryk, 258 Berk street, Stowe.

Jacqueline D. Mauger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Mauger, 357 North Washington street.

Earl I. Riegner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Riegner, 18 West Third street.

Paul B. Reinford, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul L. Reinford, North Price street.

Fred Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred R. Smith, 6 Diamond Court.

Carolyn Saylor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Saylor, 1379 Queen street.

Joseph A. Pereni, 1112 Bellevue avenue.

Robert Curtiss, P O Box 387.

William Witman, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Witman, 1449 Cherry lane.

Edith Bertolet, 17 Riverside avenue, Kenilworth, 28 years.

George Ellwanger Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. George Ellwanger, Pottstown RD 2, 1 year.

Ruth Coyle, 49 Beech street.

Rudolph F. Karkosak Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph F. Karkosak Sr., 355 Beech street, 9 years.

Larry Wade, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Wade, 365 New street, 12 years.

Mrs. Clarence Hobbs, 72 Manatawny street.

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To Reside in Kenilworth



Mr. and Mrs. Henry A. Stofko, (above), were united in marriage recently in Carst Episcopal church. They will reside in Kenilworth when their new home there is completed. Mrs. Stofko is the former Miss Charlotte May McKee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hockley C. McKee, 1122 High street. Mr. Stofko is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen J. Stofko, Kenilworth.

Women's Activities

Pottstown Garden Club Makes Sojourn To Star Rose Gardens at West Grove

Members of Pottstown Garden Club met to enjoy the program prepared in connection with the Red Rose Rent day at the Star Rose gardens, West Grove, over the weekend.

Mr. Sidney Hutton opened the program by presenting a representative of the French consulate who made the payment of a red rose to Mr. Philip Penn, Gaskell Hall, a direct descendant of William Penn, in token of the rental asked of the Penn family in exchange for the land on which the Star Rose gardens is situated.

Dr. R. C. Allen, executive secretary of the American Rose society, acknowledged the rose debt to France, and introduced Monsieur Francis Meiland of France, the originator of the famous "Peace" rose. Mr. Meiland is credited with producing many other roses found in American gardens, such as the "Good News" and "Charles Mallerin". He comes from a long line of famous hybridizers. Two new roses, "Confidence" and "Eden," originated through his work were introduced.

A NEW miniature rose, "Cinderella," was also presented. It was produced by Mr. John DeVink, Holland. Mr. E. L. D. Seymour, horticulture editor of "American Home," reviewed the work of Eppheimer and Mrs. Roy Hoel.

The nominating committee presented the candidates for officers for the next two years, and elected: president, Mrs. Carson Potter, first vice-president, Mrs. Harold Binder; second vice-president, Mrs. John Scott Keen; treasurer, Mrs. Edwin Smith; secretary, Mrs. Carl Troutman.

The auditing committee is: Miss Helen Borneman, Mrs. Raymond Potter, Mrs. Roy Hoel.

Sandwich trays look pretty when they are garnished with radish roses, small wedges of stuffed celery, stuffed prunes, pickles, or carrot curls.

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Congratulations are being received by Mr. and Mrs. Glen McCloud, Perkiomenville RD, on the birth of a daughter yesterday in Pottstown hospital.

Led by their president, Mrs. Margaret Clements, members present last night were: Mrs. Lillian Bennett, Mrs. Ruth S. Bickel, Mrs. Marion F. Detweiler, Mrs. Ann S. Hasty, Mrs. Doris E. Heintz, Mrs. Florence Manthorne, Mrs. Gladys S. Marquet, Mrs. Mary L. McElroy, Mrs. Geneva D. Moyer, Mrs. Dorothy Mutter, Mrs. Helen A. Reilly, Mrs. Dorothy B. Sands, Mrs. Irma Smale, Miss Mary Jane Toms, Mrs. Alice K. Willauer, Miss Kathryn L. Yerger and Mrs. Helen B. Zinn.

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Virginia Hoffman Bride Of Mr. Paul T. Stercula

Miss Virginia Hoffman and Mr. Paul T. Stercula were united in marriage Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock in St. Aloysius Catholic church before members of their families and their friends.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hoffman, 870 North Charlotte street. Mr. Stercula is a son of Mr. and Mrs. John Stercula, 457 Beech street.

Officiating at the double ring ceremony which was performed before an altar decorated with palms and gladioli was the Rev. William Begley, rector. Music was presented by Mrs. Robert Kurtz, strapless bodice trimmed with organist; and Mr. Paul Marcek, vocal soloist.

GIVEN IN marriage by her brother-in-law, Dr. Ralph Feeser, the bride was attired in a gown of Chantilly lace over gossamer satin of balerina length featuring a molded bodice topped with a lace collar. The long sleeves were tapered over the hands and the bouffant lace skirt over satin featured a scalloped hemline.

Her veil of Chantilly lace was fingertip, and fell from a matching satin and lace caplet embellished with tiny pearls. She carried a prayerbook topped with an orchid.

Bridesmaid was Miss Rose Stercula, sister of the bridegroom. She wore a nylon tulle over taffeta gown in regal blue featuring a

length trimmed with ruffles. Wrist-length matching mitts and a matching taffeta and tulle helmet hat completed the costume. She carried an old-fashioned bouquet of pompons and roses.

BRIDESMAID WAS Miss Mary Anne Lessig. She was gowned identically to the honor attendant in shrimp color with matching accessories. She, too, carried an old-fashioned bouquet of pompons and roses.

Best man was Mr. John Hoffman, brother of the bride. Ushers were Mr. Ralph Feeser Jr. and Mr. Donald Stercula.

The mother of the bride, Mrs. Hoffman, wore a gray dress with black accessories while the mother of the bridegroom chose a navy blue lace dress with navy blue accessories. Both wore orchid corsages.

FOLLOWING a reception at Holy Trinity Catholic club the couple left for a honeymoon to Niagara Falls. The bride traveled in a burgundy tweed suit with black accessories and an orchid.

Upon their return they will reside at 870 North Charlotte street. Guests attended from New Jersey, Ridley Park, Philadelphia, York, Phoenixville, Coatesville, Stowe and Pottstown.

Executive Committee of Pottstown PTA—meeting tonight 8 o'clock in the home of Mrs. George Yocum, Haws avenue, Sanatoga.

Dames of Malta—meeting 8 o'clock at Sanatoga Grange hall.

Pottstown Woman's Club—dinner meeting tonight 6:30 o'clock at Lakeside Inn.

Mothers' Class of Trinity Reformed church—meeting tonight 7:45 o'clock in the church.

Red Cross Board—meeting today at 12:15 o'clock in Brookside County Country club.

Pottstown Hospital Senior auxiliary—opening meeting in form of luncheon this afternoon at 12:30 o'clock in Brookside Country club.

Ruth Circle of Seales Memorial Methodist church—meeting tonight at 7:45 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Ruth Kummerer, 937 Walnut street.

Pottstown Hospital Alumnae association—meeting and welcoming party for new students tonight at 7:30 o'clock in the nurses home.

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Nearly 400 Attend Dance Sponsored by Deb-Aides

The first dance of the school season, "Football Jam-boree" was a success over the past weekend when members of the Deb-Aide auxiliary of Pottstown hospital invited members of the football teams of surrounding towns to the Armory.

Approximately 400 boys and girls danced to the music of Bill Deegan's orchestra in the huge room decorated with high school pennants.

A spot dance was won by Florence Karpinski and Richard Robertson and the elimination dance was won by Shirley Koons and LeRoy DePrestontaine.

COMMITTEE MEMBERS

were as follows:

Publicity, Sonia Cimbi- lista, Shirley Corbett, Jonelle Tascione and Nancy Saltzman; decorating, Betty Garner, Georgeanne Jacobs, Judy DeSantis and Virginia Veach; tickets, Nancy Overholzer, Linda Drumheller and Elsie DeKova; refreshments, Lucille Elias, Mary Welsch, Clair Bush, Jane Scheetz and Helen Grilli.

Chaperones were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Stavrosky, Mr. and Mrs. James Leck, Dr. Harold Bauman and Mrs. A. C. Seawell.

Among those present were Molly Axsmith, Pearl Pate, Shirley Corbett, Anna Crou, Barbara Montague, Virginia Yocom, Claire Bush, Mary Welsh, James Stout, Patsy Whalen, Lynda Weaver, Gwen Merkel, Barbara Ruyak, Alice Weber, Donna Royer, Marze Hampton, Jane Tarczynski, Dolly Petrucelli and Lorraine Bahner.

Also Roy Hoff, Nancy Rae Weidner, Shirley Daniels, Marlene Lambert, Georgann Jacobs, Ann Gregory, Linda Kulp, Janice Penman, Douglas Schwenk, Brooke S. Binder Jr., Lois Wert, Richard Raugh, Jacqueline West, Albert Kovach, Jeanette Monroe, June Fillman, Virginia Bohner, Sandra Miller and Shirley Kellar.

And Donald Lloyd, Donald R. Tyson, Nancy Welsh, Paul Galloway Jr., Dawn Brownback, Judith Glenney, Judith Tinkler, Donald Ellis, Calvin Markowitz, Faye Hill-wine, Ronald Stranick, Carol Young, Nancy Lord, Ronald Berthold, Judith Noble, Donald Ker-freider, Heather Davidheiser and Eugene J. Zelznick.

ALSO: KATHERINE Demeler, Marlene Ellis, Peggy Heath, Carl Pollock, Vicki George, Harold Buckwalter, Patricia Bateman, Ed- ward Kraynak, George Horrocks, Mary Kovacs, Eleanor Kovacs, Jean Brower, Doris Schmuck, Robert Tasse, Betty Garner, Shirley Corbett, Richard Keller, Joseph Shey and Mary Pennypacker.

And: John Sova, Marcia Baylor, Betty Queen, Margie Waldner, Bar- bara Yost, Robert Newman, Joan Seidel, John Patrick, Michael Shep- erak, Rodney Heist, Shirley Ren- ninger, John Bechtel, LeRoy De- Pfontontaine Jr., Maryann Yanos, Nancy Panfil, Robert Sutton, Theodore Wenrich, Hilda Zerkel, Berne Ondik and Marion Zueno.

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AND: Ted Fontana, Helen Ab- rams, Mary Alice Smale, Ted Whiteacre, Henry Hoffman, Rich- ard and Jamison, Catherine Ginther, Doris Wilson, Carl Stahl, Gary Doyle, David Richards, Thomas Plofean, Munyon, Marie Plasco, Edward Beales, William Short, Zelina Yanor, James Price, Mary Ann Adams, Eugene Gerber, Lorraine Hess and Earl Decker.

And: Ronald Mountain, Gordon Dotterer, Betty Molettess, Shirley Kulp, Enos Tellac, Donald Miff, David Clemens, Lee Asseo, Ernest Krelby, Lowell Stephens, Jean Ul- rich, Patricia Heath, Rocco Coti- lese Jr., Janis Frankenberg, Patty Dutton, David Seasholtz, Joan Torak, and Elaine Palfsneider.

Also: Patricia Rose, Frank Madva, Phyllis Howard and Rich- ard Weiser.

New Officers Elected; Hike Planned by Scouts

A hike was planned and officers elected at Brownie Troop 23 of the First Presbyterian church recent meeting.

After the horseshoe ceremony led by Miriam Marcy, in which Sandra Flickinger and Lynda Smale were color bearers and Peggy Missimer, Judy Berman, Gale Lord, and Jeanne Marcy were color guards, officers were elected.

President, Lynda Smale; vice- president, Sandra Flickinger; sec- retary, Judy Berman; treasurer, Bonnie Christman.

The Brownies plan to meet at the church Saturday, 10:30 o'clock, and hike from Ringing Rocks to the home of Mrs. Caryl Kellar.

It was decided to hold an Oc- tober Halloween party.

Girls present were: Jeanette Christman, Diane Kendig, Barbara Lord, Linda McCabe, Annette and Kathryn Senseng, Kaaren Stauffer, Susan Whistler, Jane Weikel, and three guests, Phyllis Malak, Cyn- thia Griffith, and Jane Whistler.

Leaders were: Mrs. Caryl Kel- lar, Mrs. Helen Spangenberg and Mrs. Doris Maimone.

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Married in East Greenville



Pvt. and Mrs. Leroy Lester Leister, (above), were united in marriage recently in New Goshenhoppen church, East Greenville, with the Rev. Calvin M. DeLong, pastor, officiating. Mrs. Leister is the former Miss Jean Arlene Buck, daughter of Mr. Howard Buck, Green Lane. Pvt. Leister is stationed with the U. S. Army at Fort Belvoir, Va.

Jean A. Briel Weds Mr. F. O. Schwarz In Double Ring Rites

In St. John's Lutheran church, Boyertown, decorated with palms, candelabra, and baskets of mixed flowers, Miss Jean Ann Briel married Mr. Frederick O. Schwarz, Boyertown, Sunday in a double ring ceremony.

Miss June Rose presented organ solos and Mr. John Rose vocal solos for the large number of guests in the church.

Mr. John Wadcincke, 307 East Third street, Boyertown, with whom Miss Briel lived, gave his niece in the ceremony over which the Rev. David F. Longacre pre- sided.

THE BRIDE carried a white prayerbook topped with a white orchid as she walked down the aisle. Her gown had a satin bodice embellished with pearls and silver beads. The satin skirt had a soft pleatum which flowed into a scalloped redingote, and court- length train. Her finger tip veil, Linda Dannehorst, Louise Keene, Joan Panfil, Josephine Fontana, Jack Derstine, Frank Gambino, Shirley Koons and Darl Hartman.

Also: Ted Fontana, Helen Ab- rams, Mary Alice Smale, Ted Whiteacre, Henry Hoffman, Rich- ard and Jamison, Catherine Ginther, Doris Wilson, Carl Stahl, Gary Doyle, David Richards, Thomas Plofean, Munyon, Marie Plasco, Edward Beales, William Short, Zelina Yanor, James Price, Mary Ann Adams, Eugene Gerber, Lorraine Hess and Earl Decker.

And: Ronald Mountain, Gordon Dotterer, Betty Molettess, Shirley Kulp, Enos Tellac, Donald Miff, David Clemens, Lee Asseo, Ernest Krelby, Lowell Stephens, Jean Ul- rich, Patricia Heath, Rocco Coti- lese Jr., Janis Frankenberg, Patty Dutton, David Seasholtz, Joan Torak, and Elaine Palfsneider.

Also: Patricia Rose, Frank Madva, Phyllis Howard and Rich- ard Weiser.

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45th Reunion Staged By 1907 Class of Local High School

The 1907 class of the Pottstown Senior High school held its 45th reunion with a dinner Sunday in the Elks club.

Present were Dr. and Mrs. Wil- liam Wiser, Lucknow, India; Mr. and Mrs. William S. Hoffman, State college; Mrs. Vincent Hag- gerty, the former Miss Felicitas McCarthy, Jersey City, N. J.; Mr. and Mrs. Ralph N. Seasholtz, Mrs. Joseph Vickers, the former Miss Florence Yerger, Philadelphia.

Also Mr. and Mrs. William H. Brown, Sanatoga; Mrs. Irwin Swede, the former Miss Louise Ladner; Mr. and Mrs. Hilary Mis- simer, Mr. and Mrs. John G. Ty- son, Mrs. Dennis McCarthy, Ty- son, G. C. Land, Mr. Gephart Zollers, Mrs. Edna G. Shinehouse.

COMMUNICATIONS were read from Mr. Albert Dampman, Mrs. Frank Seip, Mrs. Donald C. Fred- erick, Mrs. William Hampton, Mrs. A. Copeland Callen, Mrs. William W. Weitzer and Mrs. Daniel Zuber.

The class voted to hold a re- union five years hence and ap- pointed a committee to take charge of the arrangements.

It was decided also to write a letter to their former principal, Mr. William E. Pollison.

After adjourning, the class vis- ited Pottsgrove manor and the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Tyson, Rosedale, where a supper was served which ended the evening.

MR. JACOB SCHWARZ, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Schwarz, Barto, and brother of the bride- groom, was best man. Mr. Ray- mond Groule and Mr. Curtis Geiss- were ushers.

Mrs. John Wadcincke, aunt of the bride, wore navy blue, black ac- cessories, and a white carnation corsage.

After luncheon served at the Odd Fellow's Hall, Boyertown, the couple left for a week in Canada. The bride wore a beige dress with black accessories and a white orchid corsage.

THEY WILL be at home, 207 East Third street, to their friends after Sept. 15.

Guests attended from Boyertown, Pottstown, Reading, Barto, Fred- erick, Obelisk, Royersford, Bloom- field, N. J., East Orange, N. J., and Philadelphia.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Schwarz are members of the Boy- ertown high school class of 1907. The bride works at the Acme market, and the bridegroom at the Doehler-Jarvis corporation.

Cookout Meeting Held By Girl Scout Leaders

The Girl Scout Leaders' club met last night at the home of Miss Mildred Geist, Ringing Hill, for a cookout.

Kabobs were roasted and coconut macaroon cookies were baked on a reflector oven. Various other cooking equipment made by lead- ers was on display.

New songs were taught to mem- bers by Miss Eleanor Land and Miss Geist.

It was announced to the 21 mem- bers present that the Leaders' regional conference will be held in Philadelphia, Oct. 14-16, at the Bellevue-Stratford hotel.

Election of officers and a demon- stration of leaf printing will take place at the next meeting, Oct. 6, at the YWCA.

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Parents Reveal Betrothal Of Marie L. McCarthy

Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Mc-Carthy, 65 North Hanover street, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Marie Louise Mc-Carthy, to Mr. John J. Crone, son of Mrs. Loretta Crone, Reading.

Both are graduates of Reading Catholic High school and Reading Business Institute.

Miss McCarthy is medical sec- retary to Dr. J. Ross Schmidt, pathologist of Pottstown hospital. Mr. Crone, who recently was dis- charged from the Air Force, is employed as traffic manager of the motor pool for Valley Forge associates at Birdsboro.

Crisp slices of bacon taste good with a casserole of scalloped pota- toes or one of Spanish rice. Bacon is also an addition to such luncheon dishes as creamed eggs and mush- rooms or corn pudding.

Miss Bycowsky Trothed To Pasquale Cristofaro

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Bycowsky, 1073 South street, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Bernice P. Bycowsky, to Mr. Pas- quale Cristofaro, son of Mr. Joseph Cristofaro, Myra and Brookside avenue, Yeadon.

A dinner was held to honor the couple on Sunday at the Bycowsky residence for the immediate families.

Miss Bycowsky is employed by Reading avenue, Boyertown, surgi- cal; Herman Slaybaugh, 343 Sum- mer street, Royersford, medical; Mrs. Daniel Schiery, 222 North Reading avenue, Boyertown, ma- ternity; Irene Sabo, 52 Fairview street, Stowe, Surgical; Jean Ann Shunk, Amityville, surgical; Doris Egee, 318 Chestnut street, Royers- ford, medical; Alma Leffel, Boyer- town RD 1, surgical; Helen Sites, 217 Beech street, surgical; Jo Ann Panfil, 1146 Moss street, Reading, surgical.

No wedding date has been set.

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